

Max K. Day; Max O. Day; Michael Day; Jared Day; Matthew Crouch; Christine 1 2 Carroll; Troy Marchand; Bonnie Nichols; Travis Marker; and Reyhan Pasinli 3 (collectively, the "Human Defendants"); (2) Yax Ecommerce LLC; Precision Trading 4 Group, LLC; WA Distribution LLC; Providence Oak Properties, LLC; WA Amazon 5 6 Seller LLC; and Yax IP and Management Inc.; (collectively, the "Wealth Assistants 7 Entity Defendants" or "Wealth Assistants"); (3) MKD Investment Advisor, LLC; 8 MKD Family Beneficiary, LLC; MKD Family Private Management Company, LLC; 9 10 Max Day Consulting, LLC; HouTex Farm Equity Partners LLC; Business Financial 11 Solutions Advisory LLC; Evo Maxx LLC; Dreams To Reality LLC; and WWKB 12 LLC (collectively, the "Alter Ego Defendants"); (4) Proficient Supply LLC; (54) 13 14 Quantum Ecommerce, LLC; and Wholesale Universe, Inc. (collectively, the 15 "Quantum-Wholesale Partnership"); and (and (65) The Law Office of Travis R. 16 Marker, a Professional Corporation (d.b.a. "Marker Law and Mediation"); Parlay 17 18 Law Group, A Professional Corporation; Total-Apps, Inc.; and Wells Fargo Bank, 19 N.A.; Bank of America; and First Citizens Bancshares, Inc. (collectively, the 20 Payment Processing Defendants"). Plaintiffs allege as follows: 21 22 **JURISDICTION AND VENUE** Formatted: Level 1 23 1. Plaintiffs invoke the diversity jurisdiction of the Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 24 1332(d) because: (1) at least one Plaintiff in this putative class action resides in 25 26 a different state from at least one defendant, (2) there are more than 100 27 putative class members, and (3) there are more than \$5 million in controversy. 28

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2.	Venue is proper in this district under 28 U.S.C. § 1391 because Plaintiff
	Michael Nibarger has resided in Los Angeles County at all times relevant to
	this dispute.

- 3. Personal Jurisdiction over the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants is proper because they purposely defrauded many California residents, collecting over \$1,000,000 from those residents.
- Moreover, until at least May of 2022, Wealth Assistants was located in California according to its Bank of America account statements. Wealth Assistants' CEO, Defendant Ryan Carroll, frequently resided in California and operated the company in California.
- Personal Jurisdiction over the Human Defendants, the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership, and the Payment Processing Defendants is proper because they conspired with the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants and others to defraud individuals across the country. Carrying out that conspiracy included—foreseeably—intentionally defrauding dozens of California residents out of more than \$1,000,000.
- 6. Moreover, the Human Defendants, the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership, and the Payment Processing Defendants all knew or should have known that Wealth Assistants' conspiracy to conceal assets was centered in California. In particular, Christine Carroll—Wealth Assistants' Finance Manager—resided in and worked in California at all times relevant to this dispute.

1 2	MoreoverFurthermore, Total Apps—which, upon information and belief, directed and planned the scheme to conceal assets—was headquartered in and	
3	did business in California at all times relevant to this dispute.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
5	5.7. Personal Jurisdiction over the Alter Ego Defendants and Proficient	
6	Supply LLC is proper because they are the alter egos of other defendants who	
7	are subject to personal jurisdiction in California, as described in more detail	
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10	6-8. The Quantum-Wholesale Partnership is subject to personal jurisdiction	
11 12	in California for the additional reason that it intentionally made misstatements	
13	to many California residents, including some Plaintiffs, in furtherance of the	
14	conspiracy's aim to defraud those residents and fraudulently transfer the assets	
15 16	Wealth Assistants had stolen from them. For example, the Quantum-Wholesale	
17	Partnership intentionally sent emails to many California residents telling	
18	them—falsely—that Wealth Assistants had purchased valuable inventory	
19 20	packages for those residents.	
21	9. Personal Jurisdiction over the Alter Ego Defendants is proper because they are	
22	the alter egos of other defendants who are subject to personal jurisdiction in	
23	California, as described in more detail below. Personal Jurisdiction over Wells	
25	Fargo Bank, N.A. is proper because it is headquartered in California.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
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1	10.Personal Jurisdiction over Bank of America is proper because it opened and	
2	operated Wealth Assistants LLC bank accounts that are the subject of this	
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4	complaint in California.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
5	11.Personal Jurisdiction over First Citizens BancShares is proper because it	
6	knowingly participated in Wealth Assistants' scheme to conceal assets from	
7	creditors, which was a scheme centered in California.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
8	12.Furthermore, from May of 2022 through September of 2023, First Citizens	
10	processed wire transfers totaling more than \$29 million from Providence Oak	
11	Properties (one of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants) to banks located in	
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13	California.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
14	13.First Citizens also maintains many branch locations in California.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
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18	14. Wealth Assistants is a fraudulent scheme perpetrated by the Day family: Max	
19 20	K. Day, Max O. Day, Michael Day, and Jared Day. They are career criminals	
21	who have perpetrated similar schemes for decades, stealing hundreds of	
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23	millions of dollars from their victims.	
24	8.15. Wealth Assistants obtained more than \$50 million by defrauding more	
25	than 600 individuals.	
	9-16. Specifically, Wealth Assistants advertised that it would provide its	
28	clients with substantial income by setting up and managing lucrative online	
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26 27	9-16. Specifically, Wealth Assistants advertised that it would provide its clients with substantial income by setting up and managing lucrative online	

Amazon stores that the clients would own. But Wealth Assistants did not
provide the promised services. Instead, it used the fees it collected from
Plaintiffs and its other clients for the benefit of the Human Defendants.

- 10.17. Wealth Assistants' clients would pay it an upfront fee of up to \$125,000 to set up an online Amazon store in the client's name and manage it. After that, the client would pay for the store's inventory, along with certain other smaller fees. In return, the individual would be entitled to collect between 50 percent and 70 percent of the online store's gross profits.
- 44.18. Wealth Assistants advertised that the profits of an online store it managed should grow to more than \$10,000 per month by the end of the store's first year.
- 42.19. Hundreds of individuals purchased the business opportunity Wealth Assistants offered. Most of these purchasers were middle class, and many had to use all their retirement savings or take out home equity loans to make the purchase.
- 43.20. Wealth Assistants never intended to follow through on its promises.
- 14.21. Some of Wealth Assistants' clients never even received an online store after paying the fee. Others received stores (which themselves are valueless and can be easily and freely set up), but their stores were never stocked with any inventory. Others paid Wealth Assistants for inventory after receiving

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- Ultimately, the vast majority of Wealth Assistants' clients have received less than \$10,000 in profits from their online stores, and many never received a single dollar of revenue from their stores (if they received stores at all).
- Wealth Assistants perpetuated its fraudulent enterprise for as long as it could. When Plaintiffs and other individuals complained, Wealth Assistants invented excuses. It blamed "supply chain disruption," for example. It asked its clients for patience.
- Eventually, however, Plaintiffs and other individuals realized that they had been defrauded. Many of Wealth Assistants' clients demanded their money back, complained to their banks, or alerted government agencies about the ongoing fraud.
- Realizing that its fraud was being exposed, Wealth Assistants shut down. In October of 2023, Wealth Assistants announced to all of its clients that it was going out of business. The announcement told Plaintiffs that they would not receive further services and would not receive their money back.
- 26. Throughout this fraudulent scheme, instead of using the money collected from Wealth Assistants' clients to provide the promised services, Wealth Assistants used much of the money it collected from its clients for the benefit of the

<u>27.</u>	Proficient Supply LLC is an entity that operated a scam nearly identical to
	Wealth Assistants' scam beginning in 2020, before Wealth Assistants ever
	existed. Proficient Supply was shut down by the Federal Trade Commission in
	2022, but a few months later, it was acquired by Wealth Assistants. Thereafter
	as part of Wealth Assistants, it accepted payments from the Wealth Assistants
	Entity Defendants in transactions that served the sole purpose of helping
	Wealth Assistants conceal assets. Because of the intermingled assets, common
	ownership, and lack of distinct operations, Proficient Supply LLC is another
	alter ego of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants.

28. The Quantum-Wholesale Partnership Defendants—led by Defendants Troy Marchand and Bonnie Nichols—worked for Wealth Assistants and helped it carry out its fraudulent scheme. They also helped Wealth Assistants conceal its assets from Defendants by accepting fraudulent transfers totaling more than \$1 million in the months before Wealth Assistants went out of business.

29.Defendant Travis Marker—acting through his two law offices, Defendant Law Office of Travis R. Marker and Defendant Parlay Law Group—served as an "escrow agent" to help Wealth Assistants conceal the proceeds of its fraudulent scheme. In particular, Travis Marker shipped credit card readers to many of Wealth Assistants' clients for those clients to pay Wealth Assistants by making

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small discrete payments into different credit card readers. Those payments went to Travis Marker's "escrow account," and he would then pass those payments from the escrow accounts to undisclosed Wealth Assistants bank accounts, which helped prevent Plaintiffs from recovering the money that Wealth Assistants stole from them. 30.Defendant Bank of America operated bank accounts held by Wealth Assistants

and Defendant Ryan Carroll. Bank of America quickly realized that Defendant Ryan Carroll was using those bank accounts to perpetrate a fraud because of blatant red flags, and in November of 2022, Bank of America froze some of those bank accounts. But instead of making efforts to return those funds to the individuals the funds had been stolen from, Bank of America simply wrote a cashier's check to Wealth Assistants for more than \$3.7 million so that it could conceal that money elsewhere. Even more egregiously, Bank of America continued operating many bank accounts held by Defendant Ryan Carroll after it had frozen Wealth Assistants' accounts, and Bank of America continued helping Ryan Carroll conceal the proceeds of the Wealth Assistants fraudulent scheme.

31.Defendant Reyhan Pasinli is the owner and operator of Defendant Total Apps. Pasinli and Total Apps orchestrated Wealth Assistants' Payment Processing Strategy (which, as explained below, aimed to conceal the proceeds of the fraudulent scheme and avoid money-laundering detection) by helping Wealth

Assistants set up merchant bank accounts, recruiting other merchants to use
heir bank accounts in furtherance of Wealth Assistants' Payment Processing
Strategy, and serving as the "gateway" for transactions involving the various
nerchant accounts controlled by Wealth Assistants. Pasinli has long helped the
Day family defendants conceal the proceeds of their various fraudulent
schemes, and he knew that Wealth Assistants was a fraudulent scheme.

- 32. Total Apps is a registered independent sales organization of Wells Fargo Bank and, upon information and belief, Total Apps acted as Wells Fargo's agent when it orchestrated Wealth Assistants' Payment Processing Strategy. Therefore, Wells Fargo is vicariously liable for Total Apps' participation in the fraudulent scheme.
- 33. Even if Total Apps were not associated with Wells Fargo, Wells Fargo would still be liable because it knowingly operated many Wealth Assistants bank accounts despite knowing of Wealth Assistants' plan to fraudulently disperse its assets and conceal them from creditors.
- 19.34. First Citizens Bank knowingly operated a bank account for Providence Oak Properties, one of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants. First Citizens knew that the Providence Oak Properties bank account was being used for money laundering because—although Providence Oak Properties was purportedly a construction company—each of the wire transfers out of the Providence Oak Properties bank account explained that Providence Oak

1	26.40. Defendant Max K. Day is an individual who has resided in Texas at all	
2	times relevant to this dispute.	
3	27.41. Defendant Max O. Day is an individual who has resided in Texas at all	
5	times relevant to this dispute.	
6	28.42. Defendant Michael Day is an individual who has resided in Texas at all	
7	times relevant to this dispute.	
8	29.43. Defendant Jared Day is an individual who has resided in Texas at all	
10	times relevant to this dispute.	
11	30.44. Defendant Matthew Crouch is an individual who has resided in New	
12 13	York at all times relevant to this dispute.	
14	31.45. Defendant Christine Carroll is an individual who has resided in	
15	California at all times relevant to this dispute.	
16 17	32.46. Defendant Troy Marchand is an individual who has resided in Indiana at	
18	all times relevant to this dispute.	
19	33.47. Defendant Bonnie Nichols is an individual who has resided in Texas at	
20	all times relevant to this dispute.	
21 22	34.48. Defendant Reyhan Pasinli is an individual who has resided in California	
23	at all times relevant to this dispute.	
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1	42-55. Defendant MKD Investment Advisor, LLC is a limited liability	
2	company. Upon information and belief, its sole member is Max K. Day.	
3	43-56. Defendant MKD Family Beneficiary, LLC is a limited liability	
5	company. Upon information and belief, its sole member is Max K. Day.	
6	44.57. Defendant MKD Family Private Management Company, LLC is a	
7	limited liability company. Upon information and belief, its sole member is Max	
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9	K. Day.	
10	45.58. Defendant Max Day Consulting, LLC is a limited liability company.	
11	Upon information and belief, its sole member is Max K. Day.	
13	46.59. Defendant HouTex Farm Equity Partners LLC is a limited liability	
14	company. Upon information and belief, its sole member is Max K. Day.	
15 16	47.60. Defendant Business Financial Solutions Advisory, LLC is a limited	
17	liability company. Upon information and belief, its sole member is Max K.	
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19	48-Defendant EvoMaxx, LLC, is a limited liability company. Upon information	
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23	49.62. Defendant Dreams to Reality, LLC is a limited liability company. Upon	Style: 1, 2, 3, + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5"
24 25	information and belief, its sole member is Ryan Carroll.	
26	50.63. Defendant WWKB, LLC is a limited liability company. Upon	
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28	information and belief, its sole member is Michael Day.	
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1	51.64. Upon information and belief, each of the Alter Ego Defendants acted as	
2	their owner's alter ego.	
3	52.65. Upon information and belief, each of the Alter Ego Defendants were	
4	undercapitalized.	
5	53.66. Upon information and belief, none of the Alter Ego Defendants had any	
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8	operations.	
9	54.67. Upon information and belief, none of the Alter Ego Defendants followed	
10	corporate formalities, such as maintaining their own by-laws or accurate books	
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12	D. Defendant Precision Trading LLC	
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18	55.69. Defendant Quantum Ecommerce is a limited liability company	
20	incorporated in Indiana. Its sole member is Troy Marchand.	
21	56.70. Defendant Wholesale Universe is a company incorporated in Texas.	
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23	57.71. Defendant Travis Marker acted on behalf of himself and Defendants The	
25	Law Office of Travis R. Marker ("Marker Law") and Parlay Law Group at all	
26	times relevant to this dispute. Those two entities are incorporated in Utah.	
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 58.72. Defendant Total-Apps, Inc. ("Total-Apps") is a corporation that is headquartered in California. 73. Defendant Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. ("Wells Fargo") is a corporation that is headquartered in California. 74. Defendant Bank of America Corporation is a corporation that is headquartered 	
in North Carolina.59.75. Defendant First Citizens BancShares, Inc. is a corporation headquarteredin North Carolina.	
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A. Wealth Assistants' Misrepresentations About Its Services	Formatted: Level 2
60.76. The following is a summary of Wealth Assistants' agreements with its	
clients, including Plaintiffs:	
a. Wealth Assistants' clients would pay it to set up an online store on the	
Amazon platform that the clients would own. These stores offered goods	
for shoppers to purchase online.	
b. Wealth Assistants' clients would pay for the online store's inventory.	
c. Wealth Assistants' clients were required to pay certain other fees, such	
as annual fees and a "success fee" when the store was successfully set	
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d. Wealth Assistants would manage the store, including by providing customer service, maintaining relationships with suppliers, and managing the inventory.

- e. Wealth Assistants' clients would keep between 50 percent and 70 percent of the gross profits generated by the stores, and Wealth Assistants would take the remaining profits for itself as a management fee.
- 77. Until around November of 2022, most or all of When purchasing the business opportunities at issue, Wealth Assistants' clients signed a sstandardized contract very similar to the one shown in Exhibit A of this Complaint.s that Wealth Assistants drafted. The contracts promised that, in return for Plaintiffs' investment, Wealth Assistants would deliver Plaintiffs an Amazon retail store that would be built and operated by Wealth Assistants, without significant efforts from Plaintiffs.
- 61. The contracts contained numerous false statements. For example, the contracts stated that Wealth Assistants' goal was for Plaintiffs to receive around \$10,000 or more of profits monthly from their store by the end of the store's first year of operations.
- 62. The contract referenced in the paragraph above contained numerous statements that Wealth Assistants knew were false. For example, the contract stated:

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1	The Client will own a turnkey automated drop shipping Amazon retail store,	Formatted: List Paragraph, Indent: Left: 0", Line spacing: Double
2	which will be built and operated by the Service Provider. Product research,	(400 30 000)
3 4	supplier negotiations, supplier relationships, product listing, day to day price	
5	updates, quality control, processing returns, customer service, financial	
6	reporting, and business growth in the direction of \$10,000+ net profit monthly	
7 8	(assuming Client has the necessary resources, cash/credit) are among the	
9	services provided.	
10	The contracts also listed sophisticated operational services that Wealth	
11 12	Assistants would provide to ensure that the stores flourished.	
13	_The contract also stated "In months 12 — 60+, the goal will be to net the Client	
14	upwards of multiple 6 figures per year (\$350 \$600K+ per year) if Client	
15 16	remains with the Service Provider and this Contract is not terminated for any	
17	such reason."	
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19	63.79. Wealth Assistants knew that nobody planned to provide Wealth	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
20	Assistants' clients with the full set of services Wealth Assistants was promising	Formatted: Space After: 0 pt
22	in theat contracts. For example, Wealth Assistants knew that it did not have a	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
23	goal of generating \$10,000 of monthly profit in its clients' stores. Wealth	
24	Assistants knew that it instead intended to neglect its clients' stores (if it	
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27	provided the clients with stores at all) so that the stores would generate little or	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
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27 28 64. The contract also contained the following ts also contained a "Buyback" clause, which stated that if a Wealth Assistants client had not made back their initial investment by the end of the store's first year of operations, the client would have the option to sell the store they purchased back to Wealth Assistants.: If Client has substantially complied with all the provisions of this Service Agreement, and after the Client's 1st anniversary of getting their first Amazon sale, they have not made back their initial \$55,000 (fifty five thousand dollars) investment from net profit on their business, the Service Provider will offer them a buy back of their Amazon retail store or waive their two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) annual store renewal fee if they have not yet paid it or credit them their annual renewal fee in full if they have already paid it. <u>80.</u> 65.81. Wealth Assistants knew that it never intended to honor its Buyback clause. 66. Around November of 2022, Wealth Assistants began using a different standardized contract for its new clients. An example of that standardized contract is Exhibit B to this Complaint. This later standard contract stated that "The Service Provider's principal aims are to provide a 'done for you' operation for Client, focusing on high quality lawfully commercialized

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products offered at competitive prices accompanied by excellent customer service for end user customers in a manner that promotes growth."

67. The following "description of services" appeared in those contracts:

A. Initial Phase. Initially, Service Provider will manage the process of transferring the Store to Client (the "Migration"). Migration includes but is not limited to: finalizing the Transfer (described at Exhibit D), changing account names, email address, bank account information, payment information, and other steps required by the Host. Migration generally takes 1 to 2 weeks but may be substantially delayed if issues arise. Migration completes upon delivery of new account credentials and the training manual.

B.-Ramp Up. During the remainder of the first year, Service Provider will steadily encourage and support ramping up the scale of the Store by, for example, increasing product listings, optimizing SEO, and exploring advertising opportunities. Increased inventory will be required to meet increased demand as described below. The focus of this period is to lay the groundwork for future success.

MONTHS	COST OF INVENTORY PER MONTH
1	\$15,000
2-3	\$30,000
4-6	\$50,000
7-12	\$70,000
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* The end of this period is the "Milestone."	-

68. Wealth Assistants knew that it would not be able to "ramp up" stores at the rate it promised in its contracts.

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1	69.Likewise, the following description of Wealth Assistants' "Management"
2	services appeared in the same contract:
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4	B. Management. Service Provider will serve as a business consultant
5	for the Store; performing for example: Product research and analysis of market data to identify top selling
	products,
6	• Supplier relationships,
7	 Strategic sourcing or bulk ordering products from optimal suppliers, Planning warehousing and fulfillment options,
8	 Product listings including, pricing decisions, and pricing updates,
9	 Deployment of Store look and feel (including Store name which may
10	change from time to time),
11	 Customer service including quality control, and processing returns, and
12	■ Internal financial reporting.
13	Service Provider shall make commercially reasonable efforts to
14	maintain the uniqueness of the Store. In the event Client discovers certain inventory overlap with other stores, Client agrees to notify
	Service Provider.
15	70.Wealth Assistants knew that it would not provide the "Management" services
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17	described in that portion of the contract.
18	71.The same contract also promised a purported "Buyback Warranty," which
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20	stated, in part, as follows:
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22	In the event Profit does not exceed the Threshold by the Milestone, Client may elect to receive from Service Provider: (1) a Credit, or (2) the
23	Buyback Amount.
24	"Profit" means Gross Income less the Success Fee received by the
	Milestone. "Threshold" means the Set Up Fee.
25	"Credit" means an amount equivalent to the Annual Fee, and
26	redeemable, at Client's option, by refund if already paid, or by
27	application to Client's account. "Buyback Amount" means an amount equivalent to the Threshold less
28	the Profit.
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72. Wealth Assistants knew that it never intended to honor the terms of its Buyback Warranty, and Wealth Assistants in fact did not honor the terms of its

Buyback Warranties with Plaintiffs.

B. Wealth Assistants' Marketing

73.82. Wealth Assistants sent most of its prospective clients projections showing that the stores Wealth Assistants managed would generate more than \$10,000 per month. An example of such a slide is shown below:

MONTH	HYPOTHETICAL GROSS SALES	HYPOTHETICAL PROFIT TOTALS	HYPOTHETICAL MARGINS
1 to 3	up to \$20,000	up to \$4,000	15-20%
3 to 6	\$20,000 to \$35,000	\$3,000 to \$7,000	15-20%
6 to 9	\$35,000 to \$50,000	\$5,000 to \$10,000	15-20%
9 to 12	\$50,000 to \$80,000	\$7,500 to \$16,000	15-20%
First year totals	\$315,000 to \$525,000	\$49,500 to \$105,000	15-20%
12 to 16	\$80,000 to \$110,000	\$12,000 to \$22,000	15-20%
16 to 20	\$110,000 to \$135,000	\$16,500 to \$27,000	15-20%
20 to 24+	\$135,000 to \$185,000+	\$20,250 to \$37,000+	15-20%

74.83. Very few, if any, of Wealth Assistants' investors ever achieved the "monthly profit totals" advertised by Wealth Assistants.

75.84. Wealth Assistants knew that its clients could not reasonably expect to achieve more than \$10,000 per month in profits.

76.85. The slide deck also included the following slide:

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OUR 100% STORE BUY BACK* How it works: We're so confident in our If you have not recouped your initial investment ability to build you an back within 12-18 months from your first sale we will income stream on Amazon give you the opportunity that we offer all of our to either: clients a 12-18 month Have us buy back your Amazon store from you at the price difference you didn't make buyback on their initial back or... onboarding investment. We will waive your annual store renewal fee and continue operating and scaling your Amazon Store free of charge.

77.86. Wealth Assistants knew that it did not intend to honor the "Buy Back" guarantee advertised in the slide above.

78.87. Wealth Assistants also lured clients with false advertising on social media. For example, on March 28, 2023, Wealth Assistants posted on its Facebook account that "you'll have the opportunity to sell your business 2-3 years from opening up your Amazon store (once your sales are \$100K+/monthly)."

C. Plaintiffs' Experiences With Wealth Assistants

79.88. In July of 2022, a representative from Wealth Assistants named Charles Fitzgerald Butler emailed Plaintiff Amund Thompson and attached a PowerPoint that projected stores managed by Wealth Assistants would

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generate more than \$10,000 per month in profits by the end of the store's first 80.89. In November of 2022, Thompson signed a contract to purchase the 81.90. In or around November of 2022, Thompson paid Wealth Assistants 82.91. In early 2023, Thompson paid \$5,000 to Wealth Assistants for inventory. Thompson paid Wealth Assistants that money by wiring the money to an 83.92. In total, to date, Thompson has received no more than \$5,000 in connection with the business opportunity that Thompson purchased from 84.93. In August of 2022, a representative of Wealth Assistants named Mack McKaughan told Plaintiff **David Hough** that if Wealth Assistants managed a store for Hough, Wealth Assistants projected that the store would generate \$10,000 of income per month by the end of the store's first year. 85.94. Hough signed a contract to purchase the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering in August of 2022, and around the same time Hough 86.95. Hough later wired approximately \$10,000 to Wealth Assistants for

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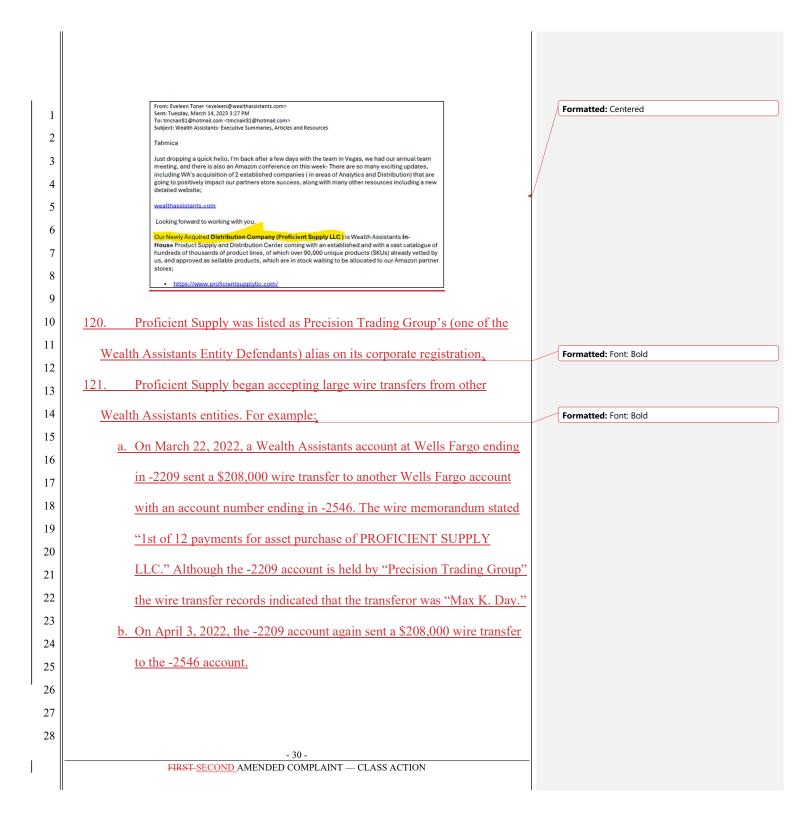
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- Isabel Ramos and Anthony Ramos are married and have several children.
- Anthony Ramos spoke to Defendant Jared Day around January of 2023. Prior to when Anthony and Isabel purchased the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was selling, Jared Day told Anthony that if he purchased that business opportunity, his store would generate around \$10,000 of passive income per month.
- In January of 2023, Anthony and Isabel purchased the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering.
- 91.100. In or around January of 2023, Isabel and Anthony paid Wealth Assistants \$75,000 as the onboarding fee for the business opportunity.
- 92.101. Thereafter, Isabel and Anthony paid many inventory invoices that they received from Wealth Assistants. Isabel and Anthony paid those inventory invoices, which totaled approximately \$18,000.
- 93.102. Isabel and Anthony received less than \$5,000 in connection with the business opportunity they purchased from Wealth Assistants.
- 94.103. Plaintiff **Michael Nibarger** is a retired California Patrol Officer.
- 95.104. In or around September of 2022, Nibarger spoke to a representative of Wealth Assistants named Brayton Bushby. Bushby sent Nibarger a PowerPoint

stating that Wealth Assistants' stores could be expected to generate up to	
\$10,000 per month in profits.	
96.105. Nibarger then decided to purchase the business opportunity Wealth	
Assistants was offering in September of 2022. Nibarger paid Wealth Assistants	
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was offering.	
97.106. A Wealth Assistants representative named Ashley Nydam—who now	
works for Defendant Wholesale Universe—assisted Nibarger in setting up his	
store.	
98.107. Thereafter, Nibarger paid two inventory invoices he received from	
Wealth Assistants for \$5,000 each.	
99.108. Nibarger received less than \$3,000 in connection with the business	
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D. Wealth Assistants Announced It Was Shutting Down And Fraudulently Transferred Many Of Its Assets To Ryan Carroll, Michael Day, Max K. Day, and Max O. Day	Formatted: Level 2
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operations before December 1, 2023."	
101.110. Wealth Assistants did in fact shut down. For example, it fired all or	
nearly all of its employees and stopped corresponding with its clients.	
102.111. Wealth Assistants has not honored Plaintiffs' Buyback agreements.	

103-112. Many of Wealth Assistants' clients have complained, requested refunds, or requested that Wealth Assistants honor its Buyback agreements, but have not received a response from Wealth Assistants. 104-113. Throughout its existence. Wealth Assistants transferred its funds—either directly or indirectly with fraudulent transfers through entity Defendants—to Defendants Ryan Carroll, Max K. Day, Max O. Day, and Michael Day for them to personally use. 105-114. Wealth Assistants also took steps to conceal the fraudulent transfers of funds to its principals Ryan Carroll, Max K. Day, Max O. Day, and Michael DayFor example, Wealth Assistants used "payment processors" to receive payments from Wealth Assistants' clients and transfer the funds to hidden bank accounts not disclosed to its clients and transfer the funds to hidden bank accounts not disclosed to its clients adescribed in more detail in the "Payment Processing Strategy" part of this complaint. E. Proficient Supply LLC Is Part Of Wealth Assistants 115. From approximately February of 2020 through November of 2022. Proficient Supply LLC operated a scam that was nearly identical to Wealth Assistants' scam. The Federal Trade Commission stated in a complaint that Proficient Supply LLC formed a common enterprise with a company called
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2	further promise to expertly manage the Amazon storefront on behalf of purchasers, while Amazon will provide customers for the store.		
3	Purchasers need only sit back and receive 'passive income.'		
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5	116. The Complaint noted that Proficient Supply LLC's role in the common		
6	enterprise was that it "receives customer payments, pays employees, and stores		
7	products related to Defendants' business opportunities."	Forma	atted: Font: Bold
8	117. Almost immediately after the FTC filed the complaint in November of		
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11	2022, the Court issued an emergency restraining order freezing Proficient		
12	Supply LLC's assets and ordering Proficient Supply LLC to cease engaging in		
13	the unlawful activity.	Forma	atted: Font: Bold
14	118. In violation of the Court's order, Proficient Supply kept engaging in the		
15	unlawful activity, but it did so as part of the Wealth Assistants common		
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17	enterprise rather than the DK Automation common enterprise,	Forma	atted: Font: Bold
18 19	119. In or around March of 2023, Wealth Assistants purchased Proficient		
20	Supply LLC. Wealth Assistants sent an update to its clients telling them about		
21	the purchase. An example of two such emails are shown below:		atted: Font: 14 pt, Bold, Check spelling and
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25	Hi Nicole,	numbe	ering
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27	based and bound by all business laws, banking laws, etc. We have three brick and mortar offices, over 300 employees and are Certified Amazon Providers. We are partnered with <u>Cart.com</u> You can see the write up here. We've also just acquired Proficient Supply in a multi-million dollar purchase so we're growing and growing.	/	
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1	c. On May 2, 2023, the -2209 account sent a \$208,323.33 wire transfer to a	
2	different Proficient Supply account, which was held at Bank of America	
3	and had an account number ending in -7927.	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
5	d. On April 14, 2023, WA Distribution LLC sent a \$155,000 wire transfer	
6	to a Proficient Supply bank account held at Wells Fargo.	
7	e. On April 17, 2023, WA Distribution LLC sent a \$300,000 wire transfer	
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9	payment to a Proficient Supply bank account held at Wells Fargo.	
10	f. On May 2, 2023, WA Distribution sent a \$99,990 wire transfer payment	Formatted
11	to a Proficient Supply bank account held at Wells Fargo.	
13	122. In January of 2024, a bank account held by Proficient Supply frequently	
14	received payments from Shopify while representing in transactional records	
15	that it was doing business as "WA Distribution" sometimes and "WA Brand	
16	Management LLC" other times,	Formatted: Font: Bold
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19	123. Ultimately, since Proficient Supply was acquired by Wealth Assistants,	
20	it has intermingled its assets with the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants	
21	interchangeably.	Formatted: Font: Bold
22	124. It is also impossible to distinguish between Proficient Supply's	
23	operations and the operations of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants.	Formatted: Font: Bold
24 25	125. Therefore, Proficient Supply is another alter ego of the Wealth	
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Clients' Accounts And Assets To The Quantum Ecommerce and Wholesale **Universe**Partnership 106.126. Wholesale Universe and Quantum Ecommerce operate a partnership that purports to provide store-management services similar to the storemanagement services that Wealth Assistants used to purport to provide. 107.127. Bonnie Nichols, the owner of Wholesale Universe, has described Wholesale Universe and Quantum Ecommerce as "like a brother-sister company" in which Bonnie Nichols—acting through Wholesale Universe— "lock[s] down the inventory" and Troy Marchand—acting through Quantum Ecommerce—"provides the account management services," such as monitoring the online stores, handling returns and refunds, and helping to reactivate any online stores that Amazon has deactivated. 108.128. Wholesale Universe and Quantum Ecommerce have presented themselves as a joint partnership operating a single business when presenting contracts to clients. 109.129. Moreover, Precision Trading Group LLC (one of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants) has done business as "Quantum Ecom" according to its corporate registration.

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which she (acting through Wholesale Universe) and Troy Marchand (acting

110.130. On October 27, 2023—approximately four days after Wealth Assistants

announced that it was shutting down—Bonnie Nichols described the manner in

The way that we actually met Wealth Assistants is they reached out to us about 90 days ago, because they were having issues with supply chain, and with inventory and getting that product uploaded into their clients stores. And because they know that we've got that locked down, they reached out to us and they said, hey, we need your help. And so we came on board about 90 days ago, and we started servicing about 100 to 175 clients with our products and services. We didn't have access to your information, we had access to be able to upload the product into your store as quickly as possible.

as Bonnie Nichols and Troy MachandMarchand—acting through the Quantum—Wholesale Partnership—did help Wealth Assistants while it was operating. For example, upon information and belief, Bonnie Nichols and Troy Marchand helped Wealth Assistants recruit new clients and/or process payments from help transfer funds from those clients to Wealth Assistants.

112.132. However, the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership did not provide reasonable inventory or store-management services to 100 clients. For example, it is not true that the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership provided \$10,000 or more of inventory to 100 stores that Wealth Assistants was managing.

113.133. As discussed above, on October 23, 2023, Defendant Ryan Carroll—the CEO of Wealth Assistants—emailed Wealth Assistants' clients, including Plaintiffs, stating Wealth Assistants "will not be able to honor any more

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Buyback Guarantees" and would "cease all operations before December 1,
2023." The same email also stated that Wealth Assistants was offering its
clients a "Transition Agreement." Specifically, Wealth Assistants offered its
clients the opportunity to transition their stores to management by another e-
commerce firm on "favorable terms." The email also attached a "comparison of
vendor proposals," which purportedly compared three e-commerce firms that
had offered "favorable terms" to manage Wealth Assistants' clients' stores. Bu
the only e-commerce firms actually identified in the "vendor proposals" were
"Quantum Ecom" and "Wholesale Universe," which jointly offered a proposal
The other "vendors" offering the proposal were anonymous.
1134 After Wealth Assistants shut down many former clients of Wealth

414.134. After Wealth Assistants shut down, many former clients of Wealth Assistants began receiving unsolicited emails from Wholesale Universe, acting on behalf of the Wholesale Universe and Quantum Ecommerce joint partnership. Some of those emails stated that "prior to going out of business, Wealth Assistants purchased an inventory package for you valued at \$35,000. It is now ready for upload to your Amazon FBA account."

415.135. The statement about the inventory-package purchases was false because Wealth Assistants had not in fact purchased \$35,000 inventory packages for all of the recipients of that email before it shut down.

116.136. However, Wealth Assistants did in fact transfer assets from itself to Wholesale Universe. Wealth Assistants and Wholesale Universe made thoseat

transfers for the purpose of preventing Wealth Assistants' current and future creditors, including Plaintiffs, from accessing Wealth Assistants' assets. For example, on July 27, 2023, the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendant called Providence Oak Properties transferred \$250,000 to Wholesale Universe. On September 27, 2023, the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendant called Providence Oak Properties transferred \$500,000 to Wholesale Universe, Inc. The wire <u>transfer memorandum stated "For Fulfillable – WA." Another Wealth</u> Assistants Entity Defendant called WA Distribution made a wire transfer to Wholesale Universe for \$200,000 on the same day (September 27, 2023) from a WA Distribution account at Thread Bank. On September 28, 2023, the same WA Distribution account transferred \$50,000 to Wholesale Universe. Wealth Assistants did not receive anything of comparable value in exchange for those transfers, which totaled \$1 million. 117.137. In the October 27th, 2023 webinar noted above, Bonnie Nichols

Wealth Assistants was shutting down by stating: We were kind of like, you know, caught off guard just like you guys were over the last couple of weeks when all this happened. And so, so we're kind of right now, filling, figuring out how we can reach out to you guys, but we have a ton of product-

it's at our warehouse right now—that's ready to be uploaded into your accounts.

And so all we need is to be able to get you guys onboarded and to get your user permission access to your store so that we can upload the inventory for the funds that was sent over to us from

described the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership's reaction to hearing that

Wealth Assistants, since that's still pending to be uploaded into your accounts.

418.138. Meanwhile, Bonnie Nichols, Troy Marchand, and either Max K. Day or Max O. Day were instant messaging in a group called "Fulfillable" (the name of one of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants) about how the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership could gain to access Wealth Assistants' former clients' online stores.

419.139. On December 19, 2023, Wholesale Universe—acting on behalf of the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership—sent an email to many of Wealth Assistants' clients. Although the vast majority of the recipients of the email had not partnered with Wholesale Universe, the email began by stating "We appreciate your partnership with Wholesale Universe and value the opportunity to assist in providing you your Amazon inventory efficiently, as was ordered by Wealth Assistants over the last 100 plus days." The email later stated "to ensure a smooth transition, we kindly request your prompt attention to the following matters: Please provide Wholesale Universe User Access Permission . . ." The email later stated "failure to provide the required information within the next 30 days will result in the initiation of a monthly storage fee of \$500, commencing from December 20, 2023. This fee will be deducted from your inventory amount currently on hand at WU."

120.140. Many of Wealth Assistants' former clients who received Wholesale

Universe's email demanded that the Quantum-Wholesale Partnership provide

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hose former clients with the money that Wealth Assistants had paid the
Quantum-Wholesale Partnership for the former clients' respective stores'
nventory.

121.141. The Quantum-Wholesale Partnership refused to make those payments to the vast majority of former Wealth Assistants clients who asked for them. The Quantum-Wholesale Partnership told at least one former Wealth Assistants client that any such requests must be directed to Wealth Assistants' bankruptcy attorneys, but it would not say who the Wealth Assistants bankruptcy attorney is, and none of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants had declared bankruptcy.

G. The Payment Processor Defendants Conspired With Wealth Assistants To **Help It Conceal Assets From Plaintiffs**

F.i. Wealth Assistants Payment Processing Strategy

122.142. Wealth Assistants' "Payment Processing" Strategy: Wealth Assistants knew, at all times it existed, that it was operating a fraudulent scheme.

123.143. Accordingly, Wealth Assistants suspected that its clients would eventually either attempt to charge back their credit cards to recover their payments, or sue Wealth Assistants to attempt to recover their payments.

124.144. Moreover, Wealth Assistants knew that it would likely lose any chargeback disputes or lawsuits commenced against it.

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125.145. Accordingly, Wealth Assistants attempted to conceal the proceeds of its 1 2 fraudulent scheme so that, even when it lost chargeback disputes or lawsuits, 3 its clients would not be able to recover their money because they would not be 4 able to find the assets. 5 6 126-146. Furthermore, Wealth Assistants knew that it would need to avoid 7 scrutiny from anti-money-laundering regulators and law enforcement because, 8 if it drew scrutiny, it would be easy for regulators and law enforcement officers 9 10 to detect that Wealth Assistants was a fraudulent scheme. 11 Wealth Assistants and its payment processors attempted to avoid 12 drawing scrutiny from regulators, and attempted to make its assets more 13 14 difficult for creditors to find, by: (1) avoiding often breaking what would be 15 large transactions into multiple small transactions, (2) using many different 16 payment processors so that no single payment processor was processing too 17 18 much money, (3) dividing its assets into many different bank accounts, and (4) 19 upon information and belief, passing money through many different accounts 20 and paymenter processors before the money reached its final destination 21 22 (collectively, the "Payment Processing Strategy"). Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 23 Travis Marker's Knowledge Of And Substantial Assistance With Formatted: Level 3 24 **The Payment Processing Strategy** Formatted: Font: 14 pt, Bold, Underline 25 128.148. Travis Marker: Defendant Travis Marker, acting on behalf of his Formatted: Indent: Left: 1", Line spacing: single, No 26 bullets or numbering companies Marker Law & Mediation and Parlay Law Group, served as an 27 28 "escrow agent" for Wealth Assistants. FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

1	129.149. In his capacity as an "escrow agent," Travis Marker collected payments	
2	from Wealth Assistants' clients and then passed them to bank accounts	
3	controlled by Wealth Assistants.	
5	130.150. In order to collect payments from Wealth Assistants' clients, Marker	
6	often shipped credit card readers to the clients and instructed them to make	
7 8	discrete small payments.	
9	131.151. Sometimes, Marker sent a Wealth Assistants client more than one credit	
10	card reader because, he told them, a single credit card reader could only	
11 12	process a small amount of payments at one time.	
13	132.152. Marker used different credit card readers to process payments, in small	
14	discrete amounts, to attempt to avoid money-laundering detection because he	
15 16	knew that his escrow account was being used to launder money for Wealth	
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18	133. Total-Apps on behalf of Wells Fargo:	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
19	134. The Executive Director of Total-Apps is Rey Pasinli. Rey	Formatted: Level 3, Line spacing: single, Numbered
20	Pasinli. In 2005, the Federal Trade Commission brought an action against Rey Pasinli in the Central District of California in Case	Level: 2 + Numbering Style: i, ii, iii, + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Right + Aligned at: 0.75" + Indent at: 1"
21	Number CV 05-6054. The complaint alleged that Pasinli "provided	
	payment processing services to a fraudulent enterprise known as	
22	Pharmacycards, which attempted to steal at least \$1.2 million from	
23	thousands of consumer checking accounts." Specifically, he "arranged for consumers' accounts to be debited without personally	
24	meeting any individual associated with the Pharmacycards	
25	operation" and did not "require proof that consumers had	
26	authorized the debits to their checking accounts."	
	135. To resolve the suit brought by the Federal Trade Commission, Pasinli stipulated to a permanent injunction. He agreed to refrain	
27	from "taking any action to process any payment, directly or on	
28	behalf of any client, against any consumer's credit card or bank	
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From: Max Day < maxday@wealthassistants.com > 1 Date: Thu, Jan 5, 2023 at 1:43 PM Subject: Introductions 2 To: Zach Henson <zach@mintsolutions.biz>, Alison Schmidt <alison@total-3 apps.com>, Rey Pasinli <Rey@total-apps.com> 4 5 Zach <> Rey & Alison 6 Zach - I would like to introduce you Rey and Alison with Total Apps. I have known Rey for 15+ years, and he is a trusted friend. They take a very creative and 7 custom approach to processing. They could help with your rapidly expanding 8 business. 9 Y'all take it from here. 10 Very Best, 11 12 The phrase "very creative and custom approach to 13 processing" in the email shown above was Max O. Day's euphemism to convey that Total-Apps—acting on behalf of Wells Fargo—had 14 helped the Day family and Wealth Assistants process payments in a 15 manner that concealed assets and avoided scrutiny from regulators. More generally, Total-Apps assisted Wealth Assistants in 16 concealing its assets and avoiding regulatory scrutiny by helping 17 Wealth Assistants and the payment processors implement the Payment Processing Strategy described above. 18 Banks' Wells Fargo's Anti Money Laundering Obligations: 19 147. 148.153. Know Your Customer Obligations: Federal law requires banks to 20 21 know their customers and understand their customers' banking behavior. 22 Under applicable regulations, a bank must maintain procedures that allow it to 23 "form a reasonable belief that it knows the true identity of each customer." 31 24 25 C.F.R. §§ 1020.220(a)(1), (2). Thus, banks are required to collect information 26 about the holder of each account. Where an entity opens an account, the bank 27 must obtain information concerning the individuals who control the account. 28

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4	49.154. Wells Fargo iBanks ares obligated to comply with the Bank Secrecy Ac
	(BSA), 12 C.F.R. § 21.21, including regulations broadening its anti-money
	laundering provisions.

- The BSA requires Wells Fargo banks to develop, administer, and 155. maintain a program to ensure compliance. The program must be approved by the bank's board of directors and noted in the board meeting minutes. It must: (1) provide for a system of internal controls to ensure ongoing BSA compliance, (2) provide for independent testing of the bank's compliance, (3) designate an individual to coordinate and monitor compliance, and (4) provide training for appropriate personnel.
- Banks also must develop a customer due diligence program to assist in predicting the types of transactions, dollar volume, and transaction volume each customer is likely to conduct, thereby providing the bank with a means for identifying unusual or suspicious transactions for each customer. The customer due diligence program allows the bank to maintain awareness of the financial activity of its customers and the ability to predict the type and frequency of transactions in which its customers are likely to engage.
- When an entity rather than an individual opens an account, banks obtain information about the individual who controls the account.
- 150.158. Using the information collected, as well as external resources like internet search engines and public and commercial record databases, banks

<u>create an initial client profile and assign a compliance-related risk rating.</u> 1 2 Neither the profile nor the risk rating is final or static. When banks become 3 aware that customer information has materially changed, their internal controls 4 require updating the information and, where appropriate, reassessing the 5 6 customer's risk profile or rating. Formatted: Font: 14 pt 7 Customer due diligence programs should be tailored to the risk presented 8 by individual customers, such that the higher the risk presented, the more 9 10 attention is paid. WhWhen aere bank determines a customer is determined to 11 be high risk, the banks should gathers additional information about the 12 customer and accounts, including determining: (1) purpose of the account; (2) 13 14 source of funds; (3) proximity of customer's residence to the bank; and (4) 15 explanations for changes in account activity. 16 -Banks' Controls: Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 17 18 152.160. Additionally, Wells Fargbankso must designate a BSA compliance 19 officer who is a senior bank official responsible for coordinating and 20 monitoring compliance with the BSA. The compliance officer must, in turn, 21 22 designate an individual at each office or branch to monitor the bank's day-to-23 day BSA compliance. 24 153.161. The federal government established the Federal Financial Institutions 25 26 Examination Council (FFIEC) in 1979 to prescribe uniform principles, 27 standards, and report forms and to promote uniformity in the supervision of 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

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financial institutions. The FFIEC's Bank Secrecy Anti-Money Laundering Manual (FFIEC Manual) summarizes BSA and anti-money laundering compliance program requirements, risks and risk management expectations, industry sound practices, and examination procedures. The FFIEC Manual is based on BSA laws and regulations and BSA and anti-money laundering directives issued by federal banking agencies, such as the Federal Reserve, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), and the Office of the Comptroller of Currency. -See FFIEC BSA/AML Examination Manual, at p. 5 (2010).

- Banks must also ensure that their employees follow BSA guidelines. Banks make compliance a condition of employment and incorporate compliance with the BSA and its implementing regulations into job descriptions and performance evaluations. Banks are therefore required to train all personnel whose duties may require knowledge of the BSA on that statute's requirements.
- Banks maintain systems of controls sufficient to identify broad patterns of account activity, sometimes spanning several accounts. The substantive nature of the transactions, the relationships between the transacting parties, and the parties' identities, are all subject to this examination. Banks contextualize the scrutiny, analyzing suspicious activity against the backdrop of industry norms and each customer's background. Banks are expected to use external

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sources of information like the internet, commercial database searches, and direct inquiries to ascertain the identity of originators and beneficiaries, and/or the nature of suspicious account transactions.

154.164. Bankers processing outgoing wire transfers are trained to ask the customer questions designed to detect possible money laundering, including the purpose of the transaction and the nature of the relationship between the parties. Typically, wires between \$25,000 and \$100,000 automatically prompt personnel to use a checklist to evaluate the transaction. A customer service manager who approves outgoing wires often conducts a secondary review, confirming that the checklist questions were adequately addressed. Wire transactions above \$100,000 typically require additional approval of a regional employee, and transactions over \$500,000 typically also require branch manager authorization,

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165. Red Flags Triggering Heightened Review: Banks and their personnel must be able to identify and take appropriate action once put on notice of any of a series of money laundering "red flags" set forth in the FFIEC BSA/AML Examination Manual. These red flags include: (1) repetitive or unusual fund transfer activity; (2) fund transfers sent or received from the same person to or from different accounts; (3) transactions inconsistent with the account holder's business; (4) transfers of funds among related accounts; (5) depositing of funds into several accounts that are later consolidated into a single master account;

(6) large fund transfers sent in round dollar amounts; (7) multiple accounts established in various corporate names that lack sufficient business purpose to justify the account complexities; (8) multiple high-value payments or transfers between shell companies without a legitimate business purpose; (9) payments unconnected to legitimate contracts or revenue sources; (10) fund transfers containing limited content or related party information; (11) transacting businesses sharing the same address; and (12) an unusually large number of persons or entities receiving fund transfers from one company.

Banks use transaction monitoring software and data analytics to reveal hidden connections and relationships between transacting parties across multiple accounts and transactions. The software automatically reviews transactions against customers' backgrounds and transaction histories, checks for red flags (including the red flags mentioned above), and automatically detects and analyzes abnormal or risky behavior. When the software identifies activity warranting further review or escalation, it alerts bank personnel and triggers manual reviews of the account or activity in question.

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2	frequency of transactions in which its customers are likely to engage.		
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5	iv. Banks of America's Participation In And Knowledge Of The		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
6	Payment Processing Strategy		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
7 8	167. Bank of America has operated at least 20 bank accounts controlled by		Formatted: Level 3, Indent: Left: 1", Line spacing: single, No bullets or numbering
9	Wealth Assistants or its principals. Bank of America operated those accounts		
10	despite knowing that other Defendants were using them in furtherance of a		
11	fraudulent scheme.		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
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13	168. A Bank of America account held by "Wealth Assistants LLC" that had		
14	an account number ending in -4905 accepted millions of dollars in wire		
15 16	transfers from Wealth Assistants LLC's customers as payments for the		
17	business opportunities Wealth Assistants was offering. The account began		
18	accepting those transfers at least as early as May of 2022.		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
19	169. Many of the wire transfers that the -4905 account received from the		
21	putative class members stated that the wire transfers were for an "investment."		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
22	170. According to Bank of America's wire-transfer records and account		
23	statements, Wealth Assistants LLC's address was 34428 Yucaipa Blvd, Ste.		
25	273, Yucaipa, CA 92399 in May of 2022.		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
26	171. Although the -4905 account had been accepting millions of dollars in		Formatted: Font: Bold
27 28	wire transfers since at least May of 2022, the only account-opening		Formatted: Font: Bold
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	documentation for the -4905 account that Bank of America has produced	
2	to Plaintiffs is dated and signed September 19, 2022.	Formatted: Font: Bold
3 4	172. That account-opening documentation for the -4905 account states that	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
5	the financial center for the documentation is "Aliso Viejo" (in California). The	
6	authorized persons for the account, according to the account documentation,	
7	were Defendant Ryan Carroll and Defendant Christine R. Johnson (whose title	
8 9	is listed as "Finance Manager" for Wealth Assistants).	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
10	173. The name of the Bank of America associate responsible for the account	
11	documentation was Jonathan Ramirez Cabral,	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
12	174. Between May 27, 2022 and September 23, 2022, the -4905 account	
14	made five wire transfers of \$166,666.67 each to "Empire Ecommerce LLC" or	
15	"Automators LLC," which were two of the names for a single company that	
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17	operated a fraudulent scheme nearly identical to Wealth Assistants' fraudulent	
18	scheme from around 2020 to September of 2023, when Automators LLC was	
19	shut down by the Federal Trade Commission.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
20	175. The following images show the account statements for the -4905 account	
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On the same day that Ryan Carroll opened the -4905 account (September Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" 2 19, 2022), Ryan Carroll opened a separate account in the name of Wealth 3 Assistants LLC with the same associate. That account number ended in -0434. 4 Ryan Carroll also opened several other corporate bank accounts at Bank 5 6 of America around the same time. For example: 7 a. Ryan Carroll opened a "Dreams to Reality" account ending in -1983 on 8 September 8, 2022 at Bank of America's Allapattah, Florida financial 9 10 center with associate Osman Delgado. 11 b. Ryan Carroll opened two "WA Brand Management LLC" accounts on 12 September 8, 2022 at Bank of America's Allapattah, Florida financial 13 14 center with associate Osman Delgado. The account numbers of those 15 two accounts ended in -3907 and -3949. 16 c. Ryan Carroll opened six "Dreams to Reality" accounts, with account 17 18 numbers ending in -3864, -8681, -8694, -8704, -8717, and -8720, which 19 Ryan Carroll opened on July 7, 2022 at Bank of America's Downtown 20 Miami financial center with associate Maria Aragon. 21 22 d. A savings account with a number ending in -3039 held by Wealth **Formatted** 23 Assistants LLC was also opened in July of 2022, but Bank of America 24 did not produce any account opening documentation for that account. Formatted: Underline 25 26 In July and August of 2022, Ryan Carroll used the "Dreams to Reality" Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 27 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" bank account at Bank of America with an account number ending in -8720 to 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

receive more than \$1 million in wire transfers from the -4905 Wealth 1 2 Assistants account at Bank of America, and then disperse most of that money 3 to various other Bank of America accounts that Ryan Carroll controlled. These 4 are the account statements in July and August of 2022 for that account; Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 5 6 Deposits and other credits 7 Description 07/07/22 BKOFAMERICA BC 07/07 #000001772 FR CHKG 100.00 8 WIRE TYPEBOOK IN DATE:220711 TIME:0434 ET TRN:2022071100051470 SNDR REF:395388618 ORIG:WEALTH ASSISTANTS LLC ID:898132214905 499,757.50 9 07/28/22 WIRE TYPE:BOOK IN DATE:220728 TIME:1349 ET TRN:2022072800425002 SNDR REF:397902716 594,771.50 ORIG:WEALTH ASSISTANTS LLC ID:898132214905 10 Total deposits and other credits \$1,094,629.00 11 Withdrawals and other debits 12 Description 07/11/22 -191.942.00 Online Banking transfer to CHK 8704 Confirmation# 2258642219 13 07/11/22 Online Banking transfer to CHK 8717 Confirmation# 2558648165 -20,000.00 14 07/11/22 Online Banking transfer to CHK 8681 Confirmation# 2258652567 -143,957.00 07/11/22 -47,985.00 Online Banking transfer to CHK 8694 Confirmation# 2258657474 15 07/11/22 Online Banking transfer to SAV 3864 Confirmation# 1458662793 -95,971.00 16 -\$499,855.00 Total withdrawals and other debits 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 FIRST-SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

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2	Date 08/02/22	Description WIRE TYPE:BOOK IN DATE:220802 TIME:1607 ET TRN:2022080200459650 SNDR REF:398757058 ORIG-WEALTH ASSISTANTS LLC ID:898132214905	10,221.00	
3	08/10/22	WIRE TYPEBOOK IN DATE:220810 TIME:1145 ET TRN:2022081000316076 SNDR REF:399826688 ORIG:WEALTH ASSISTANT'S LLC ID:898132214905	105,912.00	
4	08/22/22	Online Banking transfer from CHK 8704 Confirmation# 5001619654	90,000.00	
5	08/26/22	WIRE TYPE:BOOK IN DATE:220826 TIME:0443 ET TRN:2022082500496701 SNDR REF:401827100 ORIG:WEALTH ASSISTANTS LLC ID:898132214905	121,128.00	
6	Total depo	osits and other credits	\$327,261.00	
7	Withdr	awals and other debits Description	Amount	
8	08/03/22	WIRE TYPE-WIRE OUT DATE:220803 TIME:0442 ET TRN:2022080300037365 SERVICE REF:002511 BNF:RYAN CARROLL ID:10900759078750 BNF BK:ARROWHEA D CENTRAL CREDI ID:322282603 PMT DET:398798942 TRA NSFER MONEY	-51,000.00	
9	08/08/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8694 Confirmation# 1279953327	-60,000.00	
10	08/09/22	WIRE TYPEBOOK OUT DATE:220809 TIME:1141 ET TRN:2022080900292977 RELATED REF:399530628 BNF:MEGALODON MARKETING LLC ID:325081399075 PMT DET:WATCH	-72,000.00	
11	08/15/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8717 Confirmation# 1653487847	-50,000.00	
12	08/15/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8704 Confirmation# 1853518290	-143,354.00	
12	08/15/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8681 Confirmation# 1353520919	-143,354.00	
13	08/15/22	Online Banking transfer to SAV 3864 Confirmation# 1953524554	-143,354.00	
14	08/15/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8694 Confirmation# 1353527495	-47,785.00	
14	08/22/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8694 Confirmation# 1521619428	-40,000.00	
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16 17	Withd	rawals and other debits - continued Description	Amount	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline Formatted: Normal, No bullets or numbering
1 /	08/22/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8681 Confirmation# 1321621874	-50,000.00	
18	08/29/22	Online Banking transfer to CHK 8694 Confirmation# 1872075011	-12,112.00	
19	Total wi	thdrawals and other debits	-\$812,959.00	
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20 21	<u>179.</u>	As of October 1, 2022, the -4905 account had a balance	of	Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at:
22	<u>\$</u>	5,899,989.52, the vast majority of which had been procured v	via payments	0.25" + Indent at: 0.5"
23	<u>fr</u>	rom Wealth Assistants' clients.		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
24	<u>180.</u>	In October of 2022, \$4,346,122.76 was withdrawn from	the -4905	
25 26	<u>ac</u>	ccount and transferred to unknown accounts in a series of sus	spicious	
27	<u>tr</u>	ransactions. For example, on October 3, 2023, the -4905 acco	unt transferred	
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1	\$582,895.20 to another Bank of America account held by Wealth Assistants		
2	LLC that had an account number ending in -0434.		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
3	181. According to a lawsuit that Wealth Assistants filed against Bank of		Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style:
5	America, on or around November 17, 2022, Ryan Carroll lost access to and		1, 2, 3, + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5"
6	control over at least one of Wealth Assistants' bank accounts. Defendant Ryan		Formatted: Font: 14 pt
7 8	Carroll then began calling Bank of America to discuss the freezing of the		Formatted: Font: 14 pt
9	account. Bank of America told Carroll that Wealth Assistants' Bank of		
10	America accounts would officially be closed on November 22, 2022, and that		
11	Carroll would receive a cashier's check for the outstanding balances.		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
12	182. Bank of America froze and then closed bank accounts controlled by		
13 14	Wealth Assistants because Bank of America knew that Wealth Assistants and		
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16	Ryan Carroll were perpetrating the fraudulent scheme described herein.	<	Formatted: Font: 14 pt Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
17	183. Even though Bank of America knew that Wealth Assistants was		
18	perpetrating the Wealth Assistants fraud, Bank of America allowed Wealth		
19	Assistants to rapidly siphon funds from the Wealth Assistants accounts after		
20	the accounts were purportedly frozen on November 17, 2022 (instead of taking		
22	steps to return the money that Wealth Assistants had stolen to the individuals		
23	from whom Wealth Assistants had stolen the money, or interpleading the		
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25	funds).		Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
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	184. For example, on November 18, 2022, the -4905 account controlled by	
2	Wealth Assistants transferred more than \$100,000 to an unknown bank account	
3	using approximately 53 transactions with the description "Payroll."	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
5	185. The same account accepted hundreds of thousands of dollars via	
6	additional wire transfers from Wealth Assistants' customers after November	
7	<u>17, 2022.</u>	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
8 9	186. On January 26, 2023, Bank of America wrote a cashier's check "to the	
10	order of Wealth Assistants LLC" for \$3,784,191.12.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
11	On January 31, 2023, the cashier's check was cashed at Wells Fargo	
12	Bank,	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
14	188. Moreover, even though Bank of America knew of Wealth Assistants and	
15	Ryan Carroll's fraud, Bank of America failed to shut down bank accounts	
16 17	controlled by Ryan Carroll and/or his alter ego Dreams To Reality, LLC, which	
18	allowed Ryan Carroll to continue concealing the proceeds of Wealth	
19	Assistants' fraudulent scheme.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
20	189. On April 15, 2024, this Court issued an asset-freeze order. Plaintiffs	
22	provided Bank of America with notice of the asset-freeze order on April 16,	
23	2024. When the asset-freeze order was converted to a preliminary injunction,	
24	Plaintiffs immediately sent Bank of America notice of that preliminary	
26	injunction.	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
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Bank of America failed to take any reasonable steps to avoid 1 2 participating in a violation of the asset-freeze order. Instead, Bank of America 3 ignored the asset-freeze order entirely. As a result, Wealth Assistants' 4 principals used Bank of America accounts to continue transferring and 5 6 concealing thousands of dollars. Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 7 Plaintiffs' counsel called Bank of America's legal processing department 8 on June 14, 2024 to inquire about a subpoena that Plaintiffs had issued to Bank 9 10 of America. On that call, a Bank of America representative told Plaintiffs' 11 counsel that, although Bank of America had received notice of the asset-freeze 12 order, it had failed to take any steps to process the asset-freeze order by 13 14 entering the freeze order into its computer system or taking any steps to 15 implement the asset-freeze order. Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 16 Approximately a week before Plaintiffs filed a motion to amend their 192. 17 18 Second Amended Complaint, Plaintiffs received records from Citi Bank 19 showing that on April 11, 2024, a Citi Bank account held by Defendant Ryan 20 Alexander Carroll transferred money to a Bank of America account—with an 21 22 unknown account number—for the benefit of Ryan Alexander Carroll (i.e., 23 Defendant Ryan Carroll was sending the money from his own Citi Bank 24 account to his own Bank of America account). Bank of America has not 25 26 disclosed any records associated with whatever bank account received that wire 27 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

transfer, even though it was ordered to produce account records for all accounts controlled by Ryan Carroll. Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 193. Upon information and belief, Bank of America is continuing to operate bank accounts that it knows are subject to the Court's asset freeze order. Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline Wells Fargo's Agent Total-Apps Knew Of And Substantially **Assisted With The Payment Processing Strategy** Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline The Executive Director of Total-Apps is Rey Pasinli. In 2005, the Formatted: Level 3, Indent: Left: 1", Line spacing: single, No bullets or numbering Federal Trade Commission brought an action against Rey Pasinli in the Central Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" District of California in Case Number CV 05-6054. The complaint alleged that Pasinli "provided payment processing services to a fraudulent enterprise known as Pharmacycards, which attempted to steal at least \$1.2 million from thousands of consumer checking accounts." Specifically, he "arranged for consumers' accounts to be debited without personally meeting any individual associated with the Pharmacycards operation" and did not "require proof that consumers had authorized the debits to their checking accounts." To resolve the suit brought by the Federal Trade Commission, Pasinli

reasonable investigation to determine that the consumer has provided

defendants or the client with express verifiable authorization."

stipulated to a permanent injunction. He agreed to refrain from "taking any

action to process any payment, directly or on behalf of any client, against any

consumer's credit card or bank account without having previously undertaken a

After stipulating to that permanent injunction, Pasinli became the owner 1 2 and Executive Director of the company Total-Apps. At all times that Wealth 3 Assistants operated, Total-Apps stated on its website that it was "a registered 4 ISO of Wells Fargo Bank, N.A." 5 6 197. Upon information and belief, Total-Apps was in fact a registered 7 independent sales company ("ISO") of Wells Fargo at all times relevant to this 8 dispute. 9 10 An ISO is an entity that is authorized to market and sell the services of 11 banks and payment processors to merchants. Typically, ISOs do not merely sell 12 the banks or payment processors' services; the ISOs also manage those 13 14 services for the merchant and provide custom services to the merchant based 15 on their specific needs. 16 199. According to its website, the services that Total Apps provides to 17 18 merchants as a registered ISO of Wells Fargo Bank include: 19 a. "if payment processing has been halted, we are able to help you restore Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 20 a, b, c, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.75" + Indent at: 1" payment processing by quickly setting up the new merchant accounts." 21 22 b. "If funds have been frozen, we can recommend the best process to 23 release these funds and resume business operations quickly." 24 c. "reduc[ing] reserve rates" 25 26 d. "increas[ing] processing limits" 27 e. "fraud chargeback response" 28 FIRST-SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

<u>f.</u>	"Total-Apps is the expert in providing Merchant Account Services and
	Advanced Payment Processing Solutions. To optimize your process you
	can select to outsource payment processing to our team. Alternatively,
	we can provide on-site and off-site training for your employees."

- Because Total Apps was a registered ISO of Wells Fargo, Wells Fargo had a duty to supervise and monitor Total-Apps.
- 201. Upon information and belief, Total-Apps acted as Wells Fargo's agent whenever it was assisting Wealth Assistants, including when it was helping Wealth Assistants process payments and conceal the proceeds of its fraudulent scheme.
- Total-Apps had access to Wealth Assistants' financial records.
- 203. Total-Apps assisted Wealth Assistants in concealing its assets and avoiding regulatory scrutiny by helping Wealth Assistants and the payment processors implement the Payment Processing Strategy described above.
- Total Apps recruited various merchants (which it sometimes referred to, 204. euphemistically, as "payment processors") to serve as intermediaries for some of Wealth Assistants transactions. That is, the merchants would use their merchant accounts to accept a transfer of Wealth Assistants' fraudulently procured assets, and then transfer those assets to a different account controlled by Wealth Assistants.

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For example, in January of 2023, Max O. Day was attempting to recruit a new intermediary for Wealth Assistants called "Mint Solutions." By way of background, in January of 2023, Wealth Assistants was unable to accept payments from individuals who wanted to purchase the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering because, according to Max O. Day, all of Wealth Assistants' "payment processors" had "maxed out." It is unclear exactly what Max O. Day meant by that, but it is likely that he was referring at least in part—to the fact that Bank of America had shut down Wealth Assistants' primary bank account that Wealth Assistants had used to accept wire transfers from its clients. Now, Wealth Assistants was having difficulty finding another bank that would operate a merchant account for Wealth Assistants and accept millions of dollars every month in highly suspicious wire transfers. Accordingly, Wealth Assistants was asking more "intermediaries" such as Mint Solutions—to accept the money from Wealth Assistants' clients. In attempting to recruit Mint Solutions, Max O. Day sent the email 206. shown below to Mint Solutions and the email addresses Rey@total-apps.com and Alison@total-apps.com:

From: Max Day < maxday@wealthassistants.com >

Date: Thu, Jan 5, 2023 at 1:43 PM

Subject: Introductions

To: Zach Henson < zach@mintsolutions.biz >, Alison Schmidt < alison@totalapps.com>, Rey Pasinli <Rey@total-apps.com>

Zach <> Rey & Alison

Zach - I would like to introduce you Rey and Alison with Total Apps. I have known Rey for 15+ years, and he is a trusted friend. They take a very creative and custom approach to processing. They could help with your rapidly expanding business.

Y'all take it from here.

Very Best, Max

207. The phrase "very creative and custom approach to processing" in the email shown above was Max O. Day's euphemism to convey that Total-Apps—acting on behalf of Wells Fargo—had helped the Day family and Wealth Assistants process payments in a manner that concealed assets and avoided scrutiny from regulators.

Notably, Mint Solutions is not a registered payment processor. Instead, as noted above, Mint Solutions' role in the Payment Processing Strategy was to use its merchant account to receive payments from Wealth Assistants' customers and then use payment processors to pass those payments to other accounts controlled by Wealth Assistants.

Mint Solutions ultimately decided not to serve as an intermediary for Wealth Assistants or Total Apps because it was suspicious of their activities.

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However, Mint Solutions did serve as an intermediary for one of Mint
Solutions' legacy clients who wanted to purchase Wealth Assistants' business
opportunities. Mint Solutions accepted that one client's funds and transferred it
to Wealth Assistants.

- 210. As discussed in more detail below (in the "Wells Fargo" section), on January 31, 2023—about three months after Bank of America had frozen Wealth Assistants' bank accounts—Wealth Assistants finally managed to open a bank account at a Wells Fargo branch that would immediately accept a cash deposit of \$3.7 million, accept more than a million dollars each month in wire transfers from Wealth Assistants' clients, and allow Wealth Assistants to then transfer that money to its principals, despite mountains of red flags in all of those transactions (described in more detail below) that inevitably triggered manual review.
- Upon information and belief, Total Apps—in its capacity as a registered ISO of Wells Fargo—helped Wealth Assistants open and operate the Wells Fargo merchant accounts.
- 212. Apart from recruiting intermediaries and setting up merchant accounts, Total Apps also acted as Wealth Assistants payment "gateway" that connected Wealth Assistants' merchant accounts that held assets for Wealth Assistants. As the gateway, Total Apps rotated which merchant accounts were involved in Wealth Assistants' Payment Processing Strategy in a manner designed to help

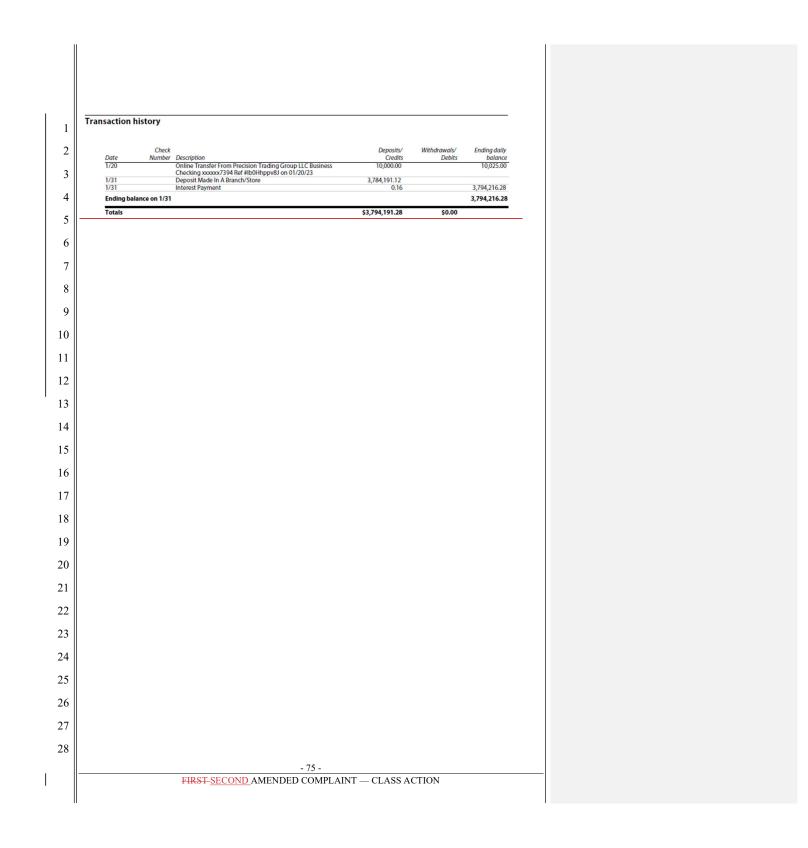
1	Wealth Assistants avoid fraud detection. For example, if a Wealth Assistants	
2	transaction was flagged or stalled, Total Apps may avoid using the merchant	
3	account involved in that transaction in future transactions.	
5	213. As a mark of Total Apps' "gateway" services, wire transfers from WA	
6	Distribution LLC to other Wealth Assistants alter egos often included wire	
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8	memorandums that stated "WA Distribution LLC Total Apps" and addenda	
9	that stated "Total Apps Processing."	Formatted: Font: Not Bold, No underline
10	vi. Wells Fargo's 's-Other Knowledge Of And Substantial Participation	
11	In The Payment Processing Activities Illegal Activities And Notice Of Fraudulent Scheme:	Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline
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13	4-214. Wells Fargo acted as a co-conspirator in the Wealth Assistants	
14	fraudulent scheme through its agent, Total-Apps, as discussed above.	Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at:
15	2.—Wells Fargo also participated in the conspiracy by keeping custody of Wealth	0.25" + Indent at: 0.5"
16	Assistants' assets and other Defendants' assets.	
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19	3-216. Upon information and belief, Wells Fargo also processed payments for	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
20 21	Wealth Assistants. In particular, Wealth Assistants used the Wells Fargo	
22	payment processor branded "Zelle" to process many of its fraudulent	
23	transactions. Wells Fargo was also the sponsoring bank for many of Wealth	
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25	Assistants' other fraudulent transfers of assets, including transactions that sent	
26	fraudulently procured assets to the Bank of the Philippine Islands. The payment	
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1	1. PRECISION TRADING GROUP LLC (-2373)	
2	m. MAX K. DAY (-3706)	
3	n. BUSINESS FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS ADVISORY (-6864)	
5	o. PRECISION TRADING GROUP LLC (-7394)	
6	p. PITHY PRODUCTIONS INC. (-2255)	
7	q. PRECISION TRADING GROUP LLC [an investment account] (-8580)	
8	r. RNJ ENTERPRISE LLC (-8019)	
9	s. PROFICIENT SUPPLY LLC (-2546)	
11	219. All of the accounts listed above except the -7394, -2255, and -8019	Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style:
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13	accounts (and possibly the -2546 and -8418 accounts) listed the same address	
14 15	for the account holder, which was Defendant Max K. Day's home address.	
16	Each of those accounts listed above was eventually closed by Wells	
17	Fargo and now contains no money.	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
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19 20	221. Before Wealth Assistants was created, Wells Fargo had aided members	Formatted: Font: 14 pt Formatted: Normal, Centered, No bullets or
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22	of the Day family in other similar fraudulent schemes. For example, in	
23	September of 2004, Wealls Fargo loaned \$500,000 to a fraudulent venture run	
24	by Max K. Day and other members of his family called "Today's Destiny"	
25	(described in more detail below). After Today's Destiny's fraud was revealed	
26 27	and it filed for bankruptcy, Wells Fargo filed a proof of claim and sought to	
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1	recover the loan. Therefore, even before Wealth Assistants was created, Wells	
2	Fargo had first-hand knowledge that Max K. Day was a high-risk client.	
3	222. As discussed above, Wells Fargo's agent—Total Apps—had long aided	
5	the Day family in its efforts to conceal the proceeds of fraudulent schemes.	
6	Total Apps also corresponded with Wealth Assistants about concealing the	
7	fraudulent proceeds of the accounts at issue. Indeed, upon information and	
8	belief, Total Apps orchestrated those concealment efforts while acting as Wells	
9	Fargo's agent.	
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12	223. Bank of America froze some of Wealth Assistants' bank accounts in	
13	November of 2022, which was publicly available information because Wealth	Formatted: Default Paragraph Font, Font: 14 pt
14	Assistants filed a complaint in federal court against Bank of America when the	
16	accounts were frozen.	
17	224. In or around November of 2022—the same month Wealth Assistants'	
18	bank accounts were frozen at Bank of America—several Precision Trading	
19	Group bank accounts were opened at Wells Fargo.	
21	225. In January of 2023, a new Precision Trading Group bank account was	
22	opened at Wells Fargo, which had an account number ending in -2209.	
23	226. Upon information and belief, Precision Trading Group, LLC did not	
24	have a website and exhibited no signs of any legitimate business activity.	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
26	227. Wealth Assistants received a cashier's check from Bank of America for	
27	more than \$3.7 million in January of 2023 and cashed that cashier's check at a	
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Wells Fargo branch. That money from that cashier's check was then deposited 1 2 into the -2209 account. 3 5.—Upon information and belief, receiving a \$3.7 million cashier's check caused 4 Wells Fargo to perform increased additional due diligence regarding the 5 6 Precision Trading Group bank accounts and discover the fraudulent scheme. 7 6. Wells Fargo custodied the following accounts: 8 A \$400,000 account held in the name of Max K. Day.; Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.5", Space After: 0 pt, Line 9 A \$40,000 account held in the name of Maxpro Marketing LLC (one of Max K. spacing: Exactly 12 pt, No bullets or numbering Day's alter egos). 10 A \$65,000 account held by Business Financial Solutions Advisory LLC. A \$280,000 account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC (one of the Wealth 11 Assistants Entity Defendants). A \$600,000 investment account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC d.b.a. Wealth 12 A \$20,000 account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC d.b.a. WA Amazon 13 Seller: A \$20,000 account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC d.b.a. WA Distribution 14 LLC; A \$3,400,000 account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC d.b.a. Wells Fargo; 15 A \$20,000 account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC d.b.a. WA Brand Management LLC 16 A \$20,000 account held by Precision Trading Group, LLC d.b.a. Carrol Enterprises LLC 17 Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 18 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" The Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants and the Human Defendants' 19 interrogatory responses have indicated that each of those accounts listed above 20 21 was "closed by Wells Fargo" and now contain no money. Precision Trading 22 Group's account activity exhibited many red flags. For example, the account 23 ending in -2209 accepted large wire transfers from many members of the 24 25 putative class in large, round, similar amounts (often \$55,000). The 26 memorandums of those wire transfers often indicated that they were intended 27 as investments in the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering. 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

	230. In total, the -2209 account accepted more than 200 wire transfers	
2	totaling more than \$11. Upon information and belief, the vast majority of those	
3	wire transfers were from Wealth Assistants' clients.	
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5	231. Many of the confirmations for those wire transfers stated that the	
6	purpose of the payment was to purchase an Amazon store from Wealth	
7	Assistants,	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
8	232. Shortly after receiving the wire transfers from the members of the	
10	putative class, the -2209 account would transfer the money—often in very	
11	large transfers—to the Human Defendants, the Alter Ego Defendants, or other	
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13	accounts controlled by Wealth Assistants via large wire transfers. Often, the	Formatted: Font: Bold
14	wire transfers would falsely state that the holder of the account was the	
15 16	individual Max K. Day (even though the -2209 account was supposedly an	
17	entity account held by Precision Trading Group). For example, on April 3,	
18	2023, the -2209 account wired \$600,000 to an account held by "Carroll	
19	Enterprises LLC" at Thread Bank, and the wire transfer stated (falsely) that the	
20 21	debtor in the transaction was "Max K. Day." The memorandum for that	
22	transfer stated "christine ops."	
23	233. The account statements for of the -2209 for the months of January,	
24 25	February and March 2023 are shown below:	
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2	157. Upon information and belief, Wells Fargo knew that the accounts mentioned above—and other accounts associated with Wealth Assistants and its principals—were being used to facilitate a		iormatted: Normal, Space After: 0 pt, Line spacing: ingle, No bullets or numbering
4	fraudulent scheme for the following reasons, among others:		Commented [NB2]: Add more specifics and dates – see etter from Wells Fargo
5	234. The Precision Trading Group bank accounts' activity strongly exhibited	Ī	formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: , 2, 3, + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at:
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7	to the FFIEC BSA/AML Examination Manual discussed above.		
8	235. Upon information and belief, Wells Fargo did manually review activity		
10	in the Precision Trading Group Accounts because of those red flags, and		
11	reviewing that activity caused Wells Fargo to know that the accounts were		
12	fraudulently concealing assets from Wealth Assistants' creditors.		
13 14	236. On July 12, 2023, Wealth Assistants initiated an electronic ACH		
15	payment for \$18,640 to a Wells Fargo bank account called "Wise US Inc" (a		
16	payment processor sponsored by Wells Fargo). The summary of the		
17 18	transaction stated "Wise US Inc. Payroll." On July 18, 2023, Wise US Inc.		
19	rejected the \$18,640 electronic payment for an unstated reason.		
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21 22	238. Likewise, on July 21, 2023, the Wells Fargo bank account called "Wise	F	formatted: Font: 14 pt
23	US Inc." rejected a payment of \$6,003.52 that Wealth Assistants attempted to		
24	send it for an unstated reason.		
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26	239. Wells Fargo received numerous chargebackwire-reversal requests—		
27	which contained descriptions of the Wealth Assistants fraudulent scheme—		
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from Wealth Assistants' clients. Those requests requested reversals of payments the clients had made to the accounts listed above. Wells Fargo failed to respond to many of those-chargeback wire reversal requests or unduly delayed responding to them. For example, on October 12, 2023, a bank called Navy Federal sent Wells Fargo an urgent request to recall a wire transfer to the account at Wells Fargo ending in -2209 because Navy Federal's client reported that Wealth Assistants was a scam. Navy Federal followed up with Wells Fargo regarding its urgent request on October 13, October 20, and October 23. On October 26, 2023, Wells Fargo finally responded to Navy Federal by stating that it could not reverse the wire transfer because there were no funds left in the Wealth Assistants account at Wells Fargo (notably, Wells Fargo did not deny that Wealth Assistants was a scam).

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- 240. But the only reason that there were no significant funds left in the -2209 account is because, on October 13, 2023, the account had transferred \$630,000 to the law firm Lloyd Mousilli with a wire memorandum stating "WA client setup fee funds."
- 7. Incredibly, Wells Fargo continued operating many of the other Precision Trading Group accounts, which Wealth Assistants continued to use to conceal the proceeds of its fraudulent scheme. For example, when Wells Fargo told Navy Federal that there were no assets left in the -2209 Precision Trading Group account, there were still more than \$100,000 in the Precision Trading

1	Group account with an account number ending in -7394, and Wells Fargo	
2	continued operating that account	
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5	8. Many of Wells Fargo's own clients were themselves clients of Wealth	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
6	Assistants and asked Wells Fargo to reverse wire transfers or chargebacks they	
7 8	had made to the Wealth Assistants accounts listed above-2209 account. Wells	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
9	Fargo spoke to those clients about Wealth Assistants' fraudulent activities but	
10	still failed to reverse the wire transfers or chargebacks, and still failed to stop	
11 12	operating the bank accounts that were being used to further Wealth Assistants'	
13	<u>fraudulent activity</u> .	
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15	a-243. Counsel for Plaintiffs sent Wells Fargo multiple letters describing	
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17	Wealth Assistants' fraudulent scheme, and informing Wells Fargo that	
18	Precision Trading was part of the fraudulent scheme, from January through	
19 20	May of 2024.	
21	b. Upon information and belief, Wells Fargo's agent Total Apps was	
22	corresponding with Wealth Assistants about concealing the fraudulent proceeds	
23	of the accounts at issue.	
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25	c. Bank of America froze Wealth Assistants' accounts in 2022. That information	
26	was publicly available because Wealth Assistants filed a complaint against	
27 28	Bank of America when the accounts were frozen.	
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1	d. Members of the Day family had previously been the subjects of an adversarial
2	action brought by a bankruptcy trustee alleging that they had perpetrated a
3	fraudulent scheme. Accordingly, Wells Fargo knew that the accounts were high
4	risk and needed to be subject to heightened scrutiny.
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6	2.244. Moreover, even when Wells Fargo received an asset freeze order from
7 8	this Court, Wells Fargo refused to take any immediate action to ensure that it
9	did not participate in a violation of the court order or in further fraudulent
10	activity in the accounts at issue. It instead stated "the bank will not be
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12	enjoining or freezing any of the accounts of the jurisdictional defendants" as
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← David.Pinch@wellsfargo.com Mon, Apr 15, 6:24 PM to me, Rory.D.Zamansky, Michael.Lipsitz, David.Pinch v

Dear Mr. Banks:

Please know that Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. has received the temporary restraining order that you forwarded this afternoon. The bank appreciates receiving the copy of the order. I have reviewed its terms. The order is directed only at specific defendants within the jurisdiction of California (which the court has deemed the "jurisdictional defendants") and not Wells Fargo or any other bank. The defendants are enjoined from dispersing or removing funds with the monthly exception that each human may draw \$9000 per month for living expenses.

The order does not direct Wells Fargo to take any action or otherwise to monitor the accounts. The bank does not have a means to freeze an account and monitor a withdrawal limit of \$9000 per month per human.

Please let us know the outcome of the April 19, 2024, hearing on the preliminary injunction. In the meantime, the bank will not be enjoining or freezing any of the accounts of the jurisdictional defendants. The court has not ordered the bank to take that action.

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First Citizens Bank's Knowledge Of And Substantial Participation **In The Payment Processing Strategy**

245. First Citizens Bank has operated bank accounts held by an entity called

"Providence Oak Properties," since at least as early as May 1, 2022. Those

accounts had account numbers ending in -1286, -3241, and -3348. The address

for all of those accounts was Max K. Day's home address.

Providence Oak Properties held itself out to the public as a construction company owned and operated by an individual named Kurt Odom.

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	247. However, Providence Oak Properties was, in reality, in the business of	
1 2	using its bank account at First Citizens Bank to help criminals in money	
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4	laundering activities.	
5	248. Specifically, Providence Oak Properties used its First Citizens bank	
6	account to accept illegally procured money into its own custody. First Citizens	
7 8	Bank did not keep records of many of the deposits into the account, which	
9	blatantly violated the bank's most basic record keeping, BSA, and anti money	
10	laundering obligations.	
11	249. For example, from January through August of 2023, more than a million	
12 13	dollars per month flowed into the Providence Oak Properties account ending in	
14	-1286 via transactions that the account statements dubbed "Merchant Service	
15	Merch Dep *******9106," "Merchant Service Merch Dep	
16 17	********5805," or "Merchant Service Merch Dep *******2370." First	
18	Citizens Bank does not have records for many of those transactions. It knows	
19	that the -9106, -5805, and -2370 accounts are not First Citizens Bank accounts,	
20	but First Citizens Bank cannot tell what the full account number is or what	
22	bank custodies those accounts.	
23	250. After receiving that money from unknown sources, First Citizens Bank	
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25	used wire transfers to transfer that money to a different bank account to help	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
26	conceal its origins. Thus, Providence Oak Properties served as one of the	Formatted: Font: 14 pt
27	"intermediaries" in Wealth Assistants' Payment Processing Strategy; it	Formatted: Font: 14 pt Formatted: Font: 14 pt
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received funds for the benefit of Wealth Assistants only to transfer those funds 1 2 to other accounts controlled by Wealth Assistants. 3 251. Incredibly, almost all of Providence Oak Properties' outgoing wire 4 transfers since May of 2022 have included in the wire memorandums a 5 6 sentence similar to: "Invoice amount of [dollar amount] paid by [name of 7 beneficiary] on [date]. Funds of [dollar amount] returned after fees were 8 removed as agreed upon." Formatted: Font: 14 pt 9 10 Providence Oak Properties made no attempt to conceal its money 11 laundering activities from First Citizens—and instead bluntly described those 12 activities in the wire memorandums—because First Citizens was aware of the 13 14 money laundering activities and chose to assist with them. 15 253. First Citizens Bank knew that the Providence Oak Properties bank 16 account was being used to launder and conceal illegally procured money. 17 18 254. Wealth Assistants and its principals referred to Providence Oak 19 Properties, euphemistically, as a "payment processing" business (even though 20 Providence Oak Properties had no payment processing license and instead 21 22 served as an illegal intermediary in money laundering activities). Formatted: Font: 14 pt 23 Formatted: Font: 14 pt 24 Formatted: Font: 14 pt 25 Formatted: Normal, Centered, No bullets or As discussed above, in the beginning of 2023, Wealth Assistants was 26 Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: experiencing difficulties related to its Payment Processing Strategy, in part 27 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" 28 because Bank of America had recently frozen some of Wealth Assistants' bank FIRST-SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

accounts. As a result, Wealth Assistants could not accept payments from many Formatted: Font: 14 pt 1 2 individuals that Wealth Assistants had convinced to purchase the business 3 opportunity that Wealth Assistants was offering. 4 To help fix that problem, Wealth Assistants purchased Providence Oak <u>256.</u> 5 6 Properties from Kurt Odom around June of 2023, and Wealth Assistants then 7 used Providence Oak Properties to alleviate the bottlenecks in Wealth 8 Assistants' Payment Processing Strategy. 9 10 Wealth Assistants used the Providence Oak Properties bank account as 11 an intermediary in Wealth Assistants' Payment Processing Strategy. That is, 12 Wealth Assistants would transfer money to Providence Oak Properties, and 13 14 then transfer the money from Providence Oak Properties to Wealth Assistants' 15 other accounts. Formatted: Font: 14 pt 16 H. The Human Defendants All Conspired To Carry Out The Fraud Formatted: Level 2 17 **Described Above** 18 G. Formatted: Indent: Left: 0.5", Line spacing: single, No bullets or numbering _Defendant Ryan Carroll is the Chief Executive Officer of Wealth 19 Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 20 Assistants. He participated in the conspiracy described above in the following 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" 21 ways: 22 a. Ryan Carroll claims that he founded Wealth Assistants and led the 23 24 company's growth. 25 b. Ryan Carroll used videos of himself to recruit new clients for Wealth 26 Assistants. Those videos included intentionally false statements. For 27 28 example, he stated in those recorded videos that Wealth Assistants' FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

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- stores could be expected to generate more than \$10,000 in profits per month.
- c. Ryan Carroll fraudulently transferred money from Wealth Assistants to himself and used that money for personal gain. For example, Carroll stated on social media that he had purchased a Lamborghini.
- d. Ryan Carroll is the founder and owner of **Defendant Yax Ecommerce** LLC, which did business as "Wealth Assistants LLC."
- e. Carroll is also the owner of WA Amazon Seller LLC and the manager of the North Carolina branch of Defendant WA Distribution LLC, both of which collected payments from Wealth Assistants' victims on behalf of Wealth Assistants.
- f. Carroll also created the company Daddy Jules LLC which, upon information and belief, serves the sole purpose of concealing Ryan Carroll's personal assets.
- g. Carroll is also the owner of Dreams to Reality LLC, which is an owner of Defendant Yax Ecommerce LLC. Upon information and belief, the sole purpose of Dreams to Reality LLC is to serve as an alter ego for Ryan Carroll to make it more difficult for victims of Wealth Assistants to collect judgments from him.

Max K. Day is an owner of Wealth Assistants. He participated in the conspiracy described above in the following ways:

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a.	Max K. Day formed and managed Defendant Precision Trading
	Group, LLC. According to Precision Trading Group's corporate
	registration, it operated under the "assumed names" of "Wealth
	Assistants LLC," "WA Distribution, LLC," "WA Brand Management,
	LLC," and "WA Amazon Seller, LLC" beginning on December 14,
	2022. Precision Trading accepted payments on behalf of Wealth
	Assistants from many Wealth Assistants clients.

- b. Max K. Day is the Director of Defendant Providence Oak Properties, LLC. Providence Oak Properties, LLC accepted payments on behalf of Wealth Assistants from many of Wealth Assistants' clients. A representative of Wealth Assistants stated, "Providence Oak Properties is a part of Wealth Assistants."
- c. Ryan Carroll described Max K. Day as his "mentor" and "business partner" in starting and managing Wealth Assistants.
- d. Max K. Day represented to one or more of Wealth Assistants' clients that they would receive a refund on their store. When he made that representation to Wealth Assistants' client Dominic Camany in September of 2023, Max K. Day knew that it was not true, and in fact Camany never received a refund.
- e. Max K. Day aided and abetted the fraudulent scheme at issue by drawing on his past experiences in fraudulently transferring assets. For example,

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n 1992, Max K. Day agreed to injunctive relief after being charged by
he Federal Trade Commission with operating a fraudulent credit card
scheme. Likewise, in 2006, Max K. Day and his family ran a fraudulent
enterprise called "Today's Destiny." Today's Destiny—much like the
Fraudulent scheme at issue in this case—lured victims by promising to
make them rich if they paid for the business opportunity Today's
Destiny was offering. Today's Destiny took money from its victims and
lid not provide the promised services. The Days then transferred the
money collected by Today's Destiny to themselves, and they had
Γoday's Destiny declare bankruptcy. The United States Trustee for
Γoday's Destiny brought an adversary complaint against the Days for
heir fraudulent transfers.

f. Max K. Day also created each of the following entities, which are defendants in this case: MKD Investment Advisor, LLC; MKD Family Beneficiary, LLC; MKD Family Private Management Company, LLC; Max Day Consulting, LLC; HouTex Farm Equity Partners LLC; Business Financial Solutions Advisory LLC; and Evo Maxx LLC. Upon information and belief, Max K. Day created those entities for the sole purpose of concealing his assets, including concealing proceeds of the fraudulent scheme described above.

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Defendant Max O. Day was the Chief Growth Officer at Wealth Assistants. He participated in the conspiracy described above in the following ways:

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- a. As discussed above, Wealth Assistants' "payment processors" recruited intermediaries to accepted payments on behalf of Wealth Assistants' clients and then payaid that money to other bank accounts associated with Wealth Assistants or its principals. Upon information and belief, Wealth Assistants used "payment processors" Wealth Assistants used those intermediaries to make it more difficult for its victims to track where their money had gone once the victims realized they had been defrauded. Max O. Day asked an individual named Zach Henson of Mint Solutions to serve as a "payment processor" n intermediary for Wealth Assistants.
- b. Max O. Day often stated that online stores managed by Wealth Assistants would likely earn tens of thousands of dollars per month. Many of Wealth Assistants' clients relied on Max O. Day's statements when deciding to purchase the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was selling. For example, in or around August of 2023, Max O. Day helped convince an individual named Craig Dillehay to purchase the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering, in part by telling Dillehay that stores Wealth Assistants was managing were very

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profitable. Max O. Day also helped convince an individual named Korey McAleesejergins to purchase the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering by making similar statements.

- c. Like his uncle Max K. Day, Max O. Day brought to Wealth Assistants his experience with similar fraudulent schemes and fraudulent transfers. He, like his uncle, helped perpetrate the "Today's Destiny" fraud described above.
- d. Max O. Day created the entity Defendant Yax IP and Management LLC. Upon information and belief, that entity was an alter ego for the other Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants, and it served no purpose other than helping Defendants conceal the proceeds of the fraudulent scheme from Defendants' creditors.

Defendant Michael Day was another owner of Wealth Assistants and 6.261. provided financing for the company knowing that it was a fraudulent scheme. He also made false statements to many of Wealth Assistants' clients that they relied upon when deciding to purchase the business opportunities Wealth Assistants offered. For example, on October 12, 2022, Michael Day told Wealth Assistants' former client Haider Istanbouli, "we have developed a 72 point SOP protocol that virtually eliminates any possibility for deactivations or suspensions," when in fact Michael Day knew that Amazon stores that Wealth Assistants set up were frequently deactivated or suspended for not complying

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with Amazon's policies. Moreover, Michael Day co-owns WWKB LLC,
which is an owner of Yax Ecommerce LLC. Michael Day was also one of the
perpetrators of the Today's Destiny fraud described above.
7.262. Defendant Jared Day was another Wealth Assistants employee who
intentionally made false statements to many of Wealth Assistants' clients. For
example, he told Wealth Assistants' former clients Afshin Salehi and Michael
Whitten that they would likely be earning more than \$10,000 in profits per
month one year after they purchased the business opportunity Wealth
Assistants was offering. He made similar statements to Isabel Ramos.
Moreover, like the other Defendants who are members of the Day family, Jared
Day was a central perpetrator of the Today's Destiny fraud, and he used his
past experience in perpetrating frauds to assist with the Wealth Assistants
fraudulent scheme.
8.263. Defendant Matthew Crouch was the President of Wealth Assistants
beginning sometime in 2022 and continuing until October of 2023. He
participated in the conspiracy described above in the following ways:
a.e. Crouch told many of Wealth Assistants' clients that Wealth
Assistants was a prudent investment and that most of Wealth Assistants'
clients were very satisfied with their investments.
b.f. Crouch guaranteed Wealth Assistants' former clients that they

would be able to exercise their buyback guarantees.

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e.g	Crouch told many of Wealth Assistants' clients that Wealth
	Assistants would supply their stores with inventory if the clients paid the
	invoices that Wealth Assistants had sent them

Manager. Upon information and belief, she had access to Wealth Assistants' bank accounts, and she initiated many fraudulent transfers from the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants. Upon information and belief, she was also in charge of maintaining Wealth Assistants' accounting records, and creating and sending invoices. Upon information and belief, she also monitored Wealth Assistants financial accounts and records to help ensure that the assets were conealed concealed from Wealth Assistants' creditors and that the accounts were not drawing scrutiny from government regulators. She performed those tasks knowing that Wealth Assistants was operating the fraudulent scheme described above.

10.265. Defendant Troy Marchand is the owner of Quantum Ecommerce. He has directed Quantum Ecommerce's conduct described above and aided in that conduct. Upon information and belief, he is also the sole control person of Quantum Ecommerce.

11.266. Marchand is also the owner and director of all of the following entities, all of which are alter egos of Quantum Ecommerce: Quantum Health, LLC; Quantum Staffing, LLC; Quantum Distribution, LLC; Quantum Ecommerce,

LLC; Quantum Ecom, LLC; Quantum Capital Group, LLC; and Quantum 1 2 Marketing, LLC. 3 12.267. In 2021, Marchand was permanently barred from serving as a 4 stockbroker or investment advisor after he settled charges brought by the 5 6 Securities and Exchange Commission alleging that he defrauded investors. 7 13.268. Defendant Bonnie Nichols is a co-owner of Wholesale Universe. Bonnie 8 Nichols is Wholesale Universe's sole control person. She has directed 9 10 Wholesale Universe's conduct described above and aided in that conduct. 11 14.269. Defendant **Travis Marker** is the owner and control person of Marker 12 Law and Parlay Law Group. He directed those entities conduct, as described 13 14 above. 15 <u>15.270.</u> Defendant **Rey Pasinli** is the owner and control person of Total-Apps. Formatted: Font: Bold 16 He directed that entity's conduct, as described above. 17 18 **CLASS ACTION ALLEGATIONS** Formatted: Level 1 19 20 16.271. Plaintiffs bring this class action pursuant to: (1) Fed. R. Civ. P. 23(a), Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 21 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" and (2) either Rule 23(b)(1) (which allows a class to be certified only if 22 adjudicating the matters individually would create a risk of inconsistent 23 24 adjudications or adjudications that impede other class members' rights) or, 25 alternatively, Rule 23(b)(3) (which allows a class to be certified only if issues 26 common to the class predominate over individualized issues and a class 27 28 method of adjudication is superior to other available methods). FIRST-SECOND AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

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Class Definition: Plaintiffs bring an action on behalf of a proposed 1 2 class of all persons who: 3 purchased services relating to the setup or management of an 4 online store from the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants between June 5 6 of 2021 and November of 2023; 7 b.i.did not make a profit on their purchase of that business opportunity; and 8 e-j. have never been owners, employees, legal representatives, or successors 9 10 of the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants. 11 Numerosity and Superiority: More than 600 individuals fall within the Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 12 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" proposed Class Definition. As a result, a class action is superior to other 13 14 methods of adjudicating the claims of the putative class members; litigating 15 their claims individually would be impractical. 16 19.274. Commonality and Predominance: The issues common to the class— 17 18 which predominate over issues not common to the class—include: 19 whether Defendants agreed with each other to either (1) operate 20 Wealth Assistants to take assets from Plaintiffs based on false 21 22 representations, or (2) conceal the assets that Wealth Assistants illegally 23 procured to the detriment of Wealth Assistants' creditors; Formatted: Font: 14 pt 24 b.l. whether Wealth Assistants included in its marketing materials—which 25 26 upon information and belief, were shared with nearly all of Wealth 27 Assistants' clients to induce them to purchase the business opportunity 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

Wealth Assistants was offering—statements that were not true, or omitted to state material facts about that business opportunity necessary to make statements made not misleading; whether those misstatements or omissions were material; d.n. whether Defendants knew or should have known that those statements were not true; whether those misrepresentations and omissions—such as the representation that the business opportunities Wealth Assistants was offering were profitable—were necessarily relied upon by any individual who purchased the business opportunity Wealth Assistants was offering; whether the Alter Ego Defendants are their owners' alter egos; whether the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants and Proficient Supply LLC are each others' alter egos; her, whether the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants transferred money to or for the benefit of others without receiving a reasonably equivalent value in exchange and, if so, to whom Wealth Assistants made those transfers. **Typicality:** Like all of the proposed class members, Plaintiffs seek to recover the financial losses they suffered because of Wealth Assistants' misrepresentations regarding the business opportunities sold to them and Defendants' subsequent concealment of assets.

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1	- <u>276.</u>	Adequacy of Representatio	n: Plaintiffs are members of the class and
	will f	fairly and adequately represent	and protect its interests. Plaintiffs have no
	intere	ests contrary to or in conflict w	ith the interests of other class members.

- <u>22.277.</u> Nico Banks and Richard Nervig are competent and experienced attorneys representing Plaintiffs.
- 23.278. Risk of Inconsistent Or Impeding Adjudications: Prosecuting separate actions by individual class members would create a risk of inconsistent or varying adjudications that would establish incompatible standards of conduct for at least one party opposing the class.
- 24.279. Moreover, adjudications with respect to individual class members would, as a practical matter, substantially impair the ability of other members to protect their interests because of the limited assets that may be available to remedy harms done to Plaintiffs in this case.

CAUSES OF ACTION

COUNT ONE

CIVIL CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD PLAINTIFFS AND CONCEAL ASSETS

(AGAINST ALL DEFENDANTS)

- 25.280. Plaintiffs incorporate by reference all allegations above.
- 26.281. The elements of fraud are a misrepresentation, knowledge of its falsity, intent to defraud, justifiable reliance, and resulting damage.

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27.282. To establish the element of conspiracy, a plaintiff must show (1)
formation and operation of the conspiracy; (2) wrongful act or acts done
pursuant thereto; and (3) resulting damage.
28.283. All defendants except Bank of America and First Citizens
BancSharesAll Defendants conspired, and agreed among each other, to make
misrepresentations to Plaintiffs to entice them to purchase the services of
Wealth Assistantsconspired to misrepresent business opportunities to
Plaintiffs in an effort to induce Plaintiffs to send those defendants money
pursuant to false pretenses.
29.284. Defendants overtly acted in furtherance of that conspiracy.
30.285. Defendants knew of the falsity of the misrepresentations to Plaintiffs.
31.286. Plaintiffs relied on those misrepresentations when purchasing services or
goods from Wealth Assistants.
32.287. Moreover, all Defendants conspired to conceal the assets obtained via
the above-mentioned fraudulent scheme from Wealth Assistants' creditors.
They did so, in part, by Defendants tagreed to transferring assets from the
between different bank accounts held by the Wealth Assistants EntitiEntity
<u>Defendants</u> , <u>Proficient Supply LLC</u> , or the Quantum-Wholesale <u>Partnershipes</u>
to the others when the recipients of the transfers did not provide Wealth
Assistants anything of comparable value in exchange.

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3. 288.	Defendants agreed with each other to make the transfers in order to
prev	ent Wealth Assistants' current and future creditors, including Plaintiffs,
fron	n collecting those assets.

- 34.289. When making that agreement to transfer assets, Defendants believed or reasonably should have believedknew that the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants would incur had debts beyond their ability to pay as they became due.
- 35.290. Defendants did in fact transfer funds from Wealth Assistants in the manner described above, directly or indirectly.
- 36.291. The transfers harmed Plaintiffs, in part because the transfers caused Wealth Assistants to be undercapitalized and ultimately to go out of business, rendering it unable to pay any judgment that may be entered against it.
- 37.292. Plaintiffs suffered damages as a result of the acts performed pursuant to the conspiracy.

COUNT TWO

AIDING AND ABETTING A FRAUD

(AGAINST ALL DEFENDANTS)

- 38.293. Plaintiffs incorporate by reference all allegations above.
- 39.294. Defendants had knowledge that the Wealth Assistants Entity Defendants were engaged in the fraudulent scheme described above.

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40.295. Defendants substantially assisted in that fraudulent scheme, either by 1 2 assisting in the making of fraudulent misrepresentations or assisting in the 3 concealment of assets. 4 5 **COUNT THREE** 6 FRAUDULENTLY TRANSFER OF ASSETS 7 (AGAINST THE ALTER EGO DEFENDANTS, THE QUANTUM-8 WHOLESALE PARTNERSHIP, BONNIE NICHOLS, AND TROY 9 MARCHAND — COLLECTIVELY, THE "RECIPIENT DEFENDANTS") 10 Plaintiffs incorporate by reference all allegations above. Formatted: Numbered + Level: 1 + Numbering Style: 11 1, 2, 3, ... + Start at: 1 + Alignment: Left + Aligned at: 0.25" + Indent at: 0.5" 12 Upon information and belief, the Recipient Defendants received 13 payments from the other Defendants. 14 Upon information and belief, the non-Recipient Defendants transferred 15 16 assets to the Recipient Defendants when the non-Recipient Defendants knew 17 that they were insolvent. 18 4.299. The non-Recipient Defendants made those transfers with the intent to 19 20 hinder, delay or defraud Plaintiffs. 21 Those transfers by the non-Recipient Defendants were a substantial 22 factor in rendering Plaintiffs unable to collect upon debts that Wealth 23 24 Assistants owes them. 25 **COUNT FOUR** Formatted: Font: Bold, Underline 26 27 AIDING AND ABETTING A BREACH OF FIDUCIARY DUTY 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

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(AGAINST WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.; BANK OF AMERICA; AND **FIRST CITIZENS BANK)**

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Plaintiffs incorporate by reference all allegations above.

- At all relevant times, Wealth Assistants owed a fiduciary duty to Plaintiffs because it sold them a business opportunity that Wealth Assistants purported to have expertise in, and Wealth Assistants understood that Plaintiffs did not have expertise in the business opportunity. The fiduciary duties included the duty to act in Plaintiffs' best interests.
- Wealth Assistants breached its fiduciary duties to Plaintiffs by failing to act in their best interests. For example, Wealth Assistants failed to purchase inventory for Plaintiffs stores, market the stores, or—in some cases—set up the stores in the first place, and Wealth Assistants instead fraudulently transferred Plaintiffs' investments to Wealth Assistants' principals.
- Moreover, when a corporation is insolvent or nearing insolvency, the corporation owes fiduciary duties to its creditors to properly wind down the corporation.
- Wealth Assistants also breached its fiduciary duties to Plaintiffs—who were its creditors—by failing to properly wind itself down. In particular, while it knew it was insolvent, Wealth Assistants made payments to its principals instead of preserving its assets for payments to its creditors, including Plaintiffs.

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Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., Bank of America, and First Citizens Bank 1 2 knowingly helped Wealth Assistants breach its fiduciary duty to Plaintiffs by 3 helping Wealth Assistants transfer Plaintiffs' investments to Wealth Assistants' 4 principals. 5 6 7 **PRAYER FOR RELIEF** 8 9 WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Court: 10 A. Award compensatory damages to Plaintiffs in the amount of \$57,000,000, 11 for which all Defendants are jointly and severally liable; 12 13 B. Award attorneys' fees and costs to Plaintiffs in an amount to be determined 14 at trial; 15 C. Enjoin Defendants from fraudulently transferring assets; 16 17 D. Grant to Plaintiffs whatever other relief is just and proper. 18 Jury Trial Demanded 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 FIRST_SECOND_AMENDED COMPLAINT — CLASS ACTION

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